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Printing Department
North Carolina School for the Deaf
Morganton, North Carolina
1955

Letter of Transmittal

His Excellency, William B. Umstead
Governor of North Carolina
Executive Chamber
Raleigh, North Carolina

Dear Sir:

The Board of Directors of the North Carolina School for the Deaf have the honor to transmit to your Excellency their thirty-second biennial report, and respectfully ask your careful examination of the condition, progress and needs of the School.

The members of the Board wish to express their appreciation for your active interest in, and your courteous consideration of, the needs of the School.

Respectfully submitted,
Wm. S. McCord
Secretary

July 1, 1954

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Letter of Transmittal

Members of the Board:

It is my duty and privilege to submit to you a report on the operation of the School for the years 1952-54. There are two significant features of this report:

First, one report states conditions and needs as clearly as possible.

Second, we have again included pictures of School Life. We feel these will give everybody a better understanding of the work of the School.

Respectfully submitted,

Carl E. Rankin, *Superintendent*

OUR SYMBOL OF LIFE: THE CLOCK TOWER
*has been there since the day the School opened on
"Vine Hill"; its clock faces point to the next thing
to be done; its beautiful symetry is a memory
that goes with us wherever we go.*



Tower, straight and tall
Our symbol be
Of lives strong, straight and true
That others may see.

General Information

The North Carolina School for the Deaf is a free public school operated for the benefit of those children who are handicapped by loss of hearing. The children are admitted to the school under the provisions of State Law.

It is the aim of the School to attain the following objectives:

1. To seek in every way to help each deaf child become a well-rounded individual who fits into American community life; a person alert to life about him, informed about local, national and world affairs, capable of independent thinking and action with regard to these, socially adjusted in home and community, reverent toward those things held sacred by us as a people, and loyal to State and Nation.
2. To so equip each child vocationally that he or she may be economically a self-sustaining person; to develop as far as possible those skills which will enable the individual to secure and hold the best possible job commensurate with his abilities.
3. To develop in each child, as far as possible, a strong healthy body, intelligent attitudes toward health and wholesome health habits.
4. To secure for each child, as far as possible, a formal education through twelve grades.
5. To develop in each child full capacity in speech-reading.
6. To develop in each child, as far as possible, capacity to use normal speech.

If children are physically strong and well developed, they should enter school as early as possible; that is, as soon as they appear to be sufficiently matured to live under the conditions of dormitory life at the School. Beginning in the fall of 1954 children may be entered at the age of five years. We have a compulsory attendance law in North Carolina. General Statutes, 115-130, which requires that the parents of every "deaf child" of school age place it in school. The interpretation put upon the term "deaf child" for purpose of determining whether a child shall be admitted to this School or shall remain in attendance at a hearing school is whether, in the opinion of his teachers in the hearing school, he can do satisfactory work there; if his work is unsatisfactory, and the cause appears to be loss of hearing, the principal of the hearing school may dismiss him from that school; the parents of

such a child must then, under Law, enter him in the School immediately.

The only charge is a school fee of \$14.00 for books, clothing repair and other incidental expenses. It is, of course, necessary for parents to pay bus or railroad fare to and from the School and to clothe children properly. It is of greatest importance that children have warm clothing. Experience with the problem of clothing has led us to prepare a suggested list which may be had upon request.

If parents of deaf children are in indigent circumstances and not able to pay travel expenses to and from the School, or to clothe their children properly, they may apply for aid by so stating on oath before a Magistrate; the Court may then order the County Department of Public Welfare to assume the expenses. Parents should in all cases notify the Superintendent when unable to undertake the expense of sending their children to this School.

Staff and Faculty — Biennium 1952-54

ADMINISTRATIVE

Carl E. Rankin, Ph.D.	Superintendent
W. K. Keeter	Business Manager
Mrs. Margaret C. Simmons	Executive Assistant to Superintendent
Mrs. Barbara S. Porter	Secretary to Business Manager

EDUCATIONAL

Ben E. Hoffmeyer	M. A.	Principal and Assistant Superintendent
Mrs. Betty W. Barnes		Secretary to Principal
Mrs. Frances F. Davis		Assistant Principal, Upper School
Mrs. Katherine W. Thomason		Assistant Principal, Intermediate School
Miss Betty Ledford		Secretary to Mrs. Thomason
Miss Nan Jeter, B. A.		Assistant Principal, Primary School

Teaching Staff

Mrs. Iva Alexander	Mrs. Barbara L. Kirksey, A. B.
E. Carl Barber, B. A.	Mrs. Jennie T. Law, M. A.
Mrs. Meta Bigham, B. S.	Albert F. Mehl
Mrs. Charlotte E. Billings	Mrs. Dorothy B. Mitchell, B. A.
Miss Joy C Bowers	Mrs. Joan N. McFadden, B. A.
Clarence W. Broecker, Jr., B. A.	Mrs. Susan W. Patton, B. A.
Miss Norma Bushey, B. A.	Miss Marie Pearson
Mrs. Beatrice Chapman, B. A.	Mrs. Annie L. Phillips
Mrs. Bashie C. Crutchfield	Mrs. Irene B. Ross
Mrs. Marie B. Davis	Mrs. Mary B. Tuttle, B. A.
Miss Mary Giles Davis	William M Simpson, B. A.
Mrs. Sarah L. Davis Deal, A. B.	Mrs. Carease Walker, B. A.
Mrs. Elisabeth C. Ervin, B. A.	Mrs. Elizabeth Walker
Mrs. Cordelia Giles, B. A.	Mrs. Tucker J. Walker
Miss Marjorie Gordon	Mrs. Jessie E. Warber
Miss Louise Harris, B. A.	Mrs. Helen Watkins
Mrs. Mozelle K. Horton	Miss Elizabeth Watrous
Mrs. Addie C. Knox	Mrs. Julia H. Wayt, M. A.
Mrs. Mary H. Kirksey, B. A.	Mrs. Jane C. Williams, B. S.
	Mrs. Susan W. Patton, A. B.

John Kubis, Jr., A. B., *Teacher and Athletic Director*
Miss Charline T. Rotha, M. A., *Girls' Physical Education and Teacher*

Vocational Staff

C. C. Clontz	Shoe Repairing
Paul B. Crutchfield	Printing
Miss Lucy Goins, M. A.	Home Economics
Mrs. Annabelle McCreight	Teacher (Special Class)
John McCreight	General Shop
Arthur Merilla	Tailoring and Dry Cleaning
John T. Oxford	Metals Work
Mrs. Anne Starrett	Arts and Crafts
Mrs. Sallie Sheppard	Librarian

Van C. Porter, M. A.	11	Driver Training
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Wilson Sherrill	Cabinet Making
Mrs. Kathleen P. Underhill	Crafts
Mrs. Ann Vernon, B. S. S. A., ..	Typing and Business Machine Operation
Mrs. DeLanie B. Winchester, B. A.	Sewing

CUSTODIAL —MAINTENANCE

Mrs. Nell B. Mundy	House Director, Main Building
Miss Julia M. Rust	House Director, Goodwin Hall
Mrs. Elizabeth Sloan	Assistant House Director, Rankin Building
Dr. John W. Ervin	School Physician
Dr. Ralph Coffey	School Dentist
Miss Gladys Quinn, R. N.	Head Nurse
Miss Hazel Glenn	Assistant Nurse
Mrs. Iola C. Gaylord, B. S.	Head Dietitian
Miss Doris Edwards, B. S.	Assistant Dietitian
Miss Grace Giles B. S.	Assistant Dietitian
Fred F. Rusmiselle	Plant Engineer
Dan F. Cameron	Farm Manager
C. L. Street	Head, Laundry Department

Normal Training Class—1953-54

Billy Gene Blevins	Mrs. Susan W. Patton, A. B.
Mrs. Elisabeth C. Ervin, B. A.	Mrs. Iola C. Gaylord, B. S.
Miss Mildred Laney	Mrs. Joan N. McFadden, B. A.
Miss Betty Ledford	Miss Sarah L. Davis Deal, A. B.
Donald Bynum	Miss Mary Giles Davis

Superintendent's Report

THE PURPOSE AND CHARACTER OF THE NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF

The educational program of the North Carolina School for the Deaf is the heart and substance of the institution; on its effectiveness rests almost entirely its justification as an institution. Teachers must be specially trained for this work. Our school program, while it parallels that of the public schools in North Carolina generally, must of necessity be modified to meet the needs of acoustically handicapped children. The School must do a very specialized educational job for its children; their handicap affects more directly their social adjustment than it does any other phase of their lives.

Education of children handicapped by loss of hearing began in North Carolina more than one hundred years ago, to be exact, in 1845. Since that time, the profession itself has passed through many significant changes, and has made many improvements. For instance, in 1845 when work was begun in North Carolina, instruction was conducted entirely by means of the sign language; today, the North Carolina School for the Deaf is an Oral School where children are taught primarily by means of speech and lip-reading. Within very recent years the use of electrical stimulation has revolutionized instruction in schools of this type throughout the United States. Here the aim is to utilize whatever residual hearing the child may possess as one of the tools in his education.

With this brief general statement with respect to the educational work in the North Carolina School for the Deaf, the following pages are concerned primarily with a description of the life and activities of the school during the biennium, 1952-54.

We are particularly proud of our two reading rooms or libraries connected with our two classroom buildings. These libraries are filled with books that children read. One of the major projects among our teachers for the past several years has been to stimulate reading in every possible way. An important addition to our libraries in recent years is our supply

of visual education materials in the form of slides, film strips, and films. This addition is particularly important, due to the fact that, for these children with loss of hearing, we have added a new visual approach to learning.

The new Vocational Building has added materially to our Vocational Program. We now have physical facilities as well as teachers to make this a much improved phase of our work. The addition of shoe repair and leather work to our vocational program is worthy of note, because it offers the opportunity for training and employment to those boys who are slow learners and who cannot acquire facility in such lines as printing and cabinet making.

For a number of years schools for the deaf throughout the United States have experienced considerable difficulty in finding enough teachers of the deaf. Training centers have not been able to supply enough teachers to meet the demand. For that reason, we at the North Carolina School for the Deaf have been making special effort to improve our teacher training course, and we anticipate that when this course is fully accredited by one or more colleges in our vicinity, we shall be able to meet the needs for additions to our teaching staff.

THE EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

The Educational Program of the school is under the direction of our Principal, and also Assistant Superintendent, Mr. B. E. Hoffmeyer. In his report to the Superintendent, Mr. Hoffmeyer has this to say about the work:

The four departments under my administration are the Lower School, Upper School, the Vocational School and the Physical Education Department.

The 1952-53 Session opened with 411 children which was a new record. The enrollment has been increasing at the rate of about 10 children per year over the last five years. I see no reason why this should not continue, so it will be necessary to plan on a future enrollment of nearly 450. This will mean an additional teacher each year as long as this increase exists.

The 1953-54 school year opened August 24, 1953 with an enrollment of 408. The enrollment was limited by encouraging five-year-olds to remain at home until the new primary unit was completed, so these students were held over for the school year 1954-55. This will cause a much higher enrollment for the 1954 fall term. At the time of this report 60 beginners are enrolled and 8 older new children have applied for admission.

Thirty-three students graduated or received certificates this past school year; it seems we will have approximately 425 children this fall.

Our Auditory Training Program has made great strides since Miss Mary E. Numbers gave a course here in the fall of 1953. The new Unit will be fully equipped with group hearing aids, the Intermediate School will have 6 units, and should have approximately 6 more as soon as possible. It is our hope to eventually have at least 6 in the Upper School.

Progress has been made in working out a course of study for the Vocational Department. The department has a high morale and is working toward a more sound educational approach to vocational training. Dr. Hostetler of State College visited the department and contributed valuable help and information toward the working out of a better course of study. A Vocational Principal is being asked for in the new biennium. A qualified hearing man will be hard to find, but it is felt that hearing is necessary to secure the best from the students.

The Physical Education Department has functioned smoothly and efficiently. Our teams have rated high nationally. Miss Rotha, Mr. Kubis and Mr. Barber have contributed sportsmanship, and have conducted a well rounded program.

A committee of nine teachers is working on a complete course of guidance and counseling. This includes social behavior in the home, school and in public. The course covers such things as income tax, banking, social security, insurance and labor management. It outlines the stu-

dent's responsibility to his employer, community, country and church.

A guidance and counseling committee has been set up in the Educational Department to help students who are maladjusted and are problems in and out of school. The committee consists of the Principal, Mrs. Frances Davis, the student's household supervisor, the student's coach and Mr. Crutchfield. This committee, as can be seen, covers the child's complete school life, both in and out of school. It is sincerely hoped that we can make guidance and counseling a functional process.

All accomplishments are products of a very wonderful teaching staff. We are most fortunate in having a corps of well-trained teachers of the "Joiner Era". These teachers are valuable in our teacher training program as well as in the classroom. I have received splendid cooperation from all staff members, and that includes dormitory, directors and administrative offices.

(Signed) Ben E. Hoffmeyer, Principal

It should be added here that on June 30, 1954, the end of the biennium, the new pre-school unit was substantially complete, and plans being made to occupy it at the opening of school in August. The completion of this up-to-date unit for five, six and seven-year-olds is a source of great satisfaction to all of us. Two very distinct gains are within our reach with its opening, we shall be able to begin work with children's speech one year earlier, and with group hearing aids in each classroom, we shall be able to make maximum use of residual hearing.

HOUSEHOLD LIFE

For the first time in a number of years we face the prospect of having enough household space to care for our children, furthermore the space will be so divided that children will be housed in small groups of from 3 to 8. Only we who have worked under the overcrowded, poorly arranged housing condi-

tions for the past several years, can appreciate the tremendous gains in this rearrangement of living accommodations for our children.

DIETARY

An important part of life is the dietary department. It is the aim of this department "to serve both students and staff a well-balanced diet that will come within the budget, and to serve it in an appetizing manner and in a pleasant atmosphere." Because of the substantial increases granted for food in recent years by the Legislature it has been possible to serve a wider variety of wholesome food. These children, it should be noted, have nothing wrong with them whatever except a loss of hearing; they possess the ordinary child's capacity to play hard and eat prodigiously. Our head dietitian and her assistants are trained for their jobs. One of the finest things they have done is to gradually build a fine program to help boys and girls overcome food prejudices and to learn to eat a greater variety of good foods, and to maintain a pleasant atmosphere in our dining rooms.

HEALTH

Our School infirmary is under the general supervision of Dr. John Ervin, and in addition to Dr. Ervin, Dr. Ralph Coffey is employed on a part-time basis as School Dentist. The School is also fortunate in having Dr. B. W. Armstrong of the Charlotte Eye, Ear, and Throat Hospital as consulting Otologist. Dr. Armstrong examines the children early each school year, and follows through with treatments for certain individual cases. The School maintains an infirmary staff of one Registered Nurse and one Practical Nurse. All cases of sickness are sent to the infirmary where they are cared for under the direction of the School Physician.

All parents receive the following notice regarding medical care in a general letter sent to all parents each school year:

We have a school infirmary and care for minor sickness; there is no extra charge to parents for this service. Prescriptions, or specially prescribed drugs for any child must be paid for by parents. If it is necessary to send a child to the town hospital, parents must take care of his bills while there. In the future bills incurred

because of injuries sustained while playing football or other games which necessitate special hospital, doctor's care or special drugs, etc. must be paid by parents. If you do not wish your child to play certain games, please advise the Superintendent in writing, otherwise he will not be barred from any school play or games.

If parents are financially unable to have all necessary dental work done for the child, or to have eyes examined and glasses fitted, they should contact the County Health Department and ask for aid. Keep in mind we have neither funds or facilities to have dental work done here or glasses fitted. *Teeth must be in good condition and a certificate so stating sent to us before children come to school. Glasses must be fitted if needed and a certificate from examiner sent to us before children come to school.*

LAUNDRY

Our laundry work is in charge of Mr. C. L. Street and his corps of workers. Gradually we are being able to replace out-of-date equipment with up-to-date laundry equipment. The moving of our Laundry to more adequate quarters in our Service Building is a source of considerable satisfaction to us.

FARM

Our change-over in farm operations under the able management of Mr. Dan F. Cameron has proven very satisfactory. Under the new plan, practically all row crops have been discontinued, and the farm is set up for the production of milk and pork. An adequate supply of each has been available, and also the farm has furnished a fairly good portion of the beef used by the process of conserving that which normally accumulates in the conduction of an up-to-date dairy herd.

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF PLANT

Our plant operation and maintenance are under our very able Plant Engineer, Mr. Fred F. Rusmiselle. When the new steam line from the boiler room to Goodwin Hall, now under construction, is completed, we feel certain, that we shall be able to handle our heating program more efficiently.

Report of the Business Manager

Summary Statement of State Appropriated Fund Biennium 1952-54

	1952-53	1953-54
Maintenance:		
Appropriation		
Less Additions and Betterments	\$570,967.00	\$600,308.00
Additions and Betterments	45,026.00	217,201.00
Institutional Receipts	8,212.14	25,094.00
Total Availability	\$624,205.14	\$842,603.00

Expenditures:

Maintenance	\$552,262.61	\$577,642.08
Additions and Betterments	17,441.83	181,777.43
Transferred to Permanent Improvement		
Fund, Code 1762, Pre-School Unit	26,713.00	
Total Expenditures	\$596,417.44	\$759,419.51
Unexpended Balance	\$27,787.70	\$ 83,183.49

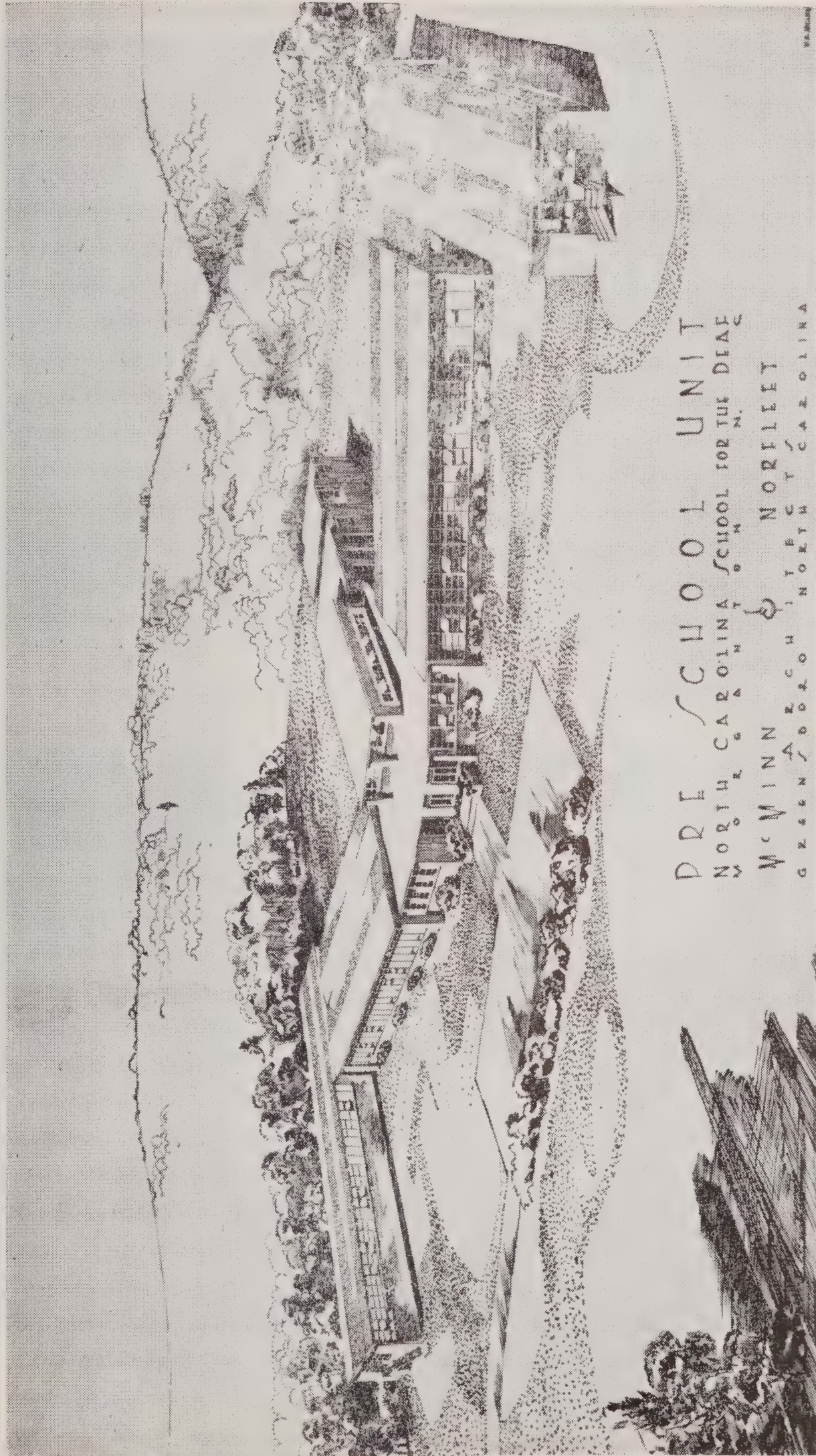
Permanent Improvement:

Code 1762 Appropriation, Primary Unit	\$358,000.00	
Unexpended July 1		\$163,251.98
Transferred from 605 Maintenance 1953	26,713.00	
Transferred from 605 Maintenance 1954		15,000.00
Code 1432 Appropriation, Renovation of		
Goodwin Hall		94,500.00
Code 1633 Various	283,941.50	35,160.82
Code 1734 Various	31,249.69	
Total Available	\$699,904.19	\$307,912.80

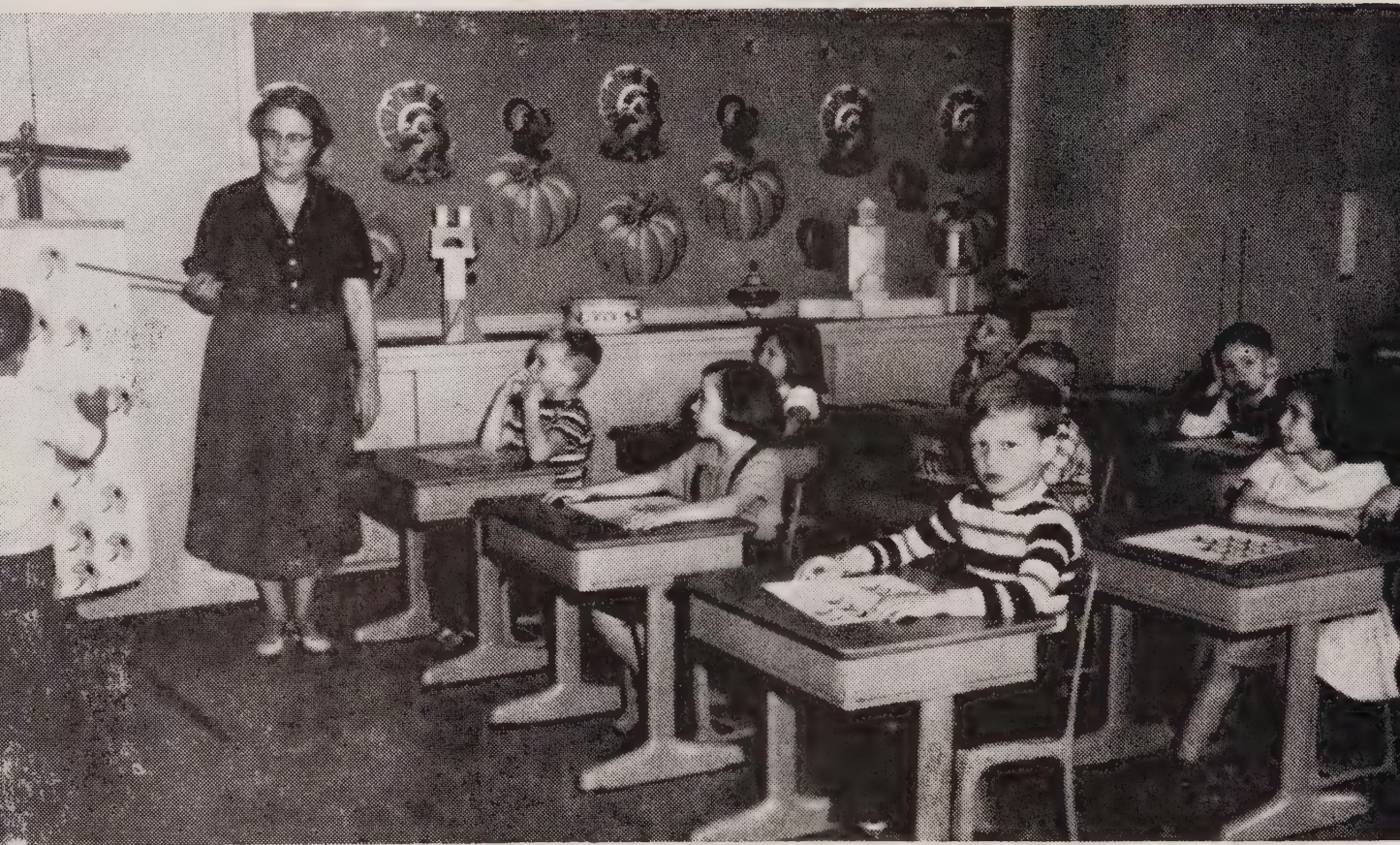
Expenditures:

Code 1762 Primary Unit	\$221,461.02	\$149,210.43
Code 1633 Various	248,780.68	25,026.79
Code 1734 Various	276.00	
Total Expenditures	\$470,517.70	\$174,237.22
Unexpended Balance	\$229,386.49	\$133,675.58

PICTORIAL SECTION



An architect's sketch of the new primary unit completed for the 1954 school year. This unit provides dormitories, classrooms and eating facilities for one hundred children. The newest methods of instruction are being used.



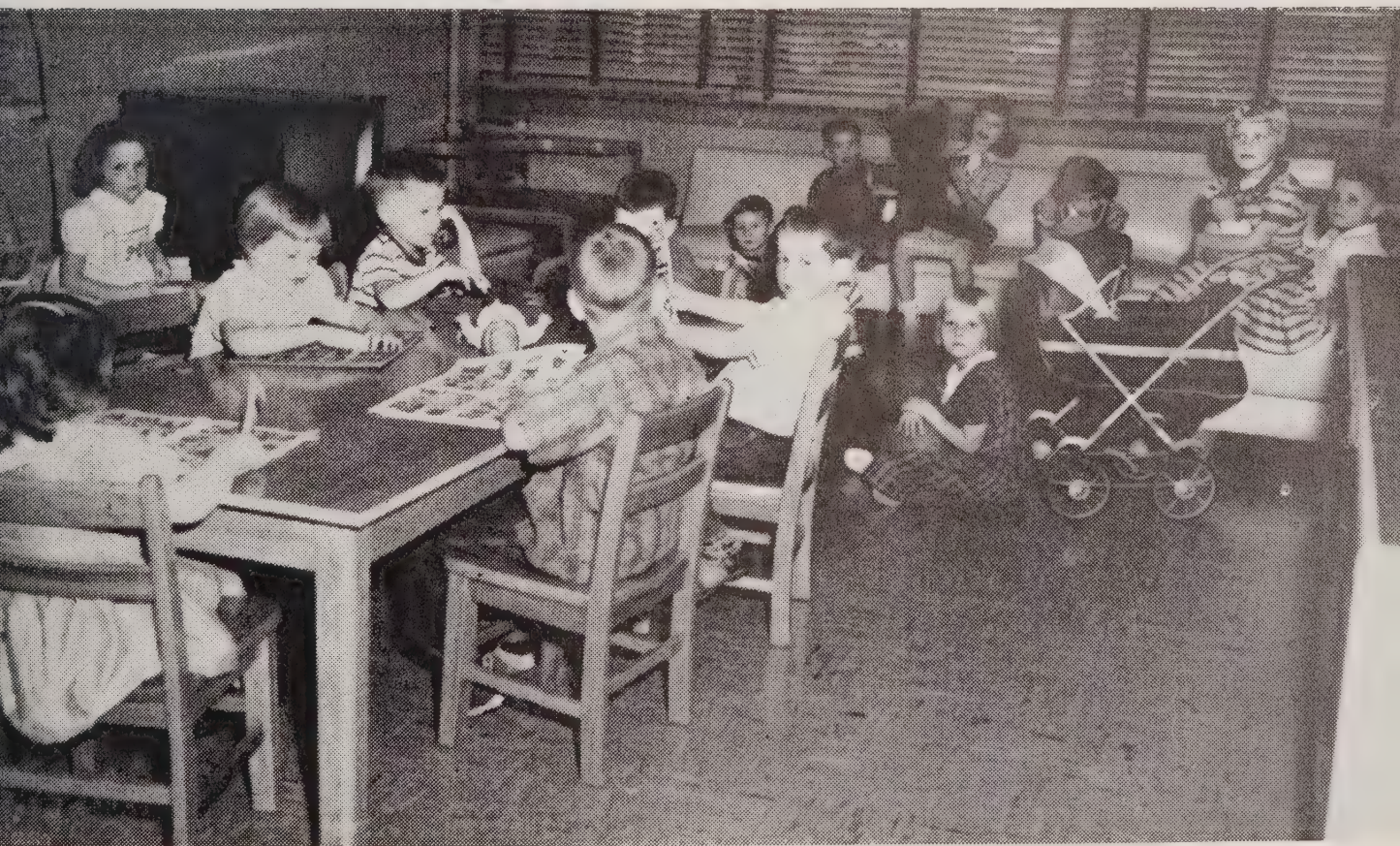
This is a beginning class in number work. Speech and lipreading is used in teaching. All deaf children cannot be educated through speech and lipreading. If the school finds that the child is a poor lipreader, fingerspelling and signs are used.



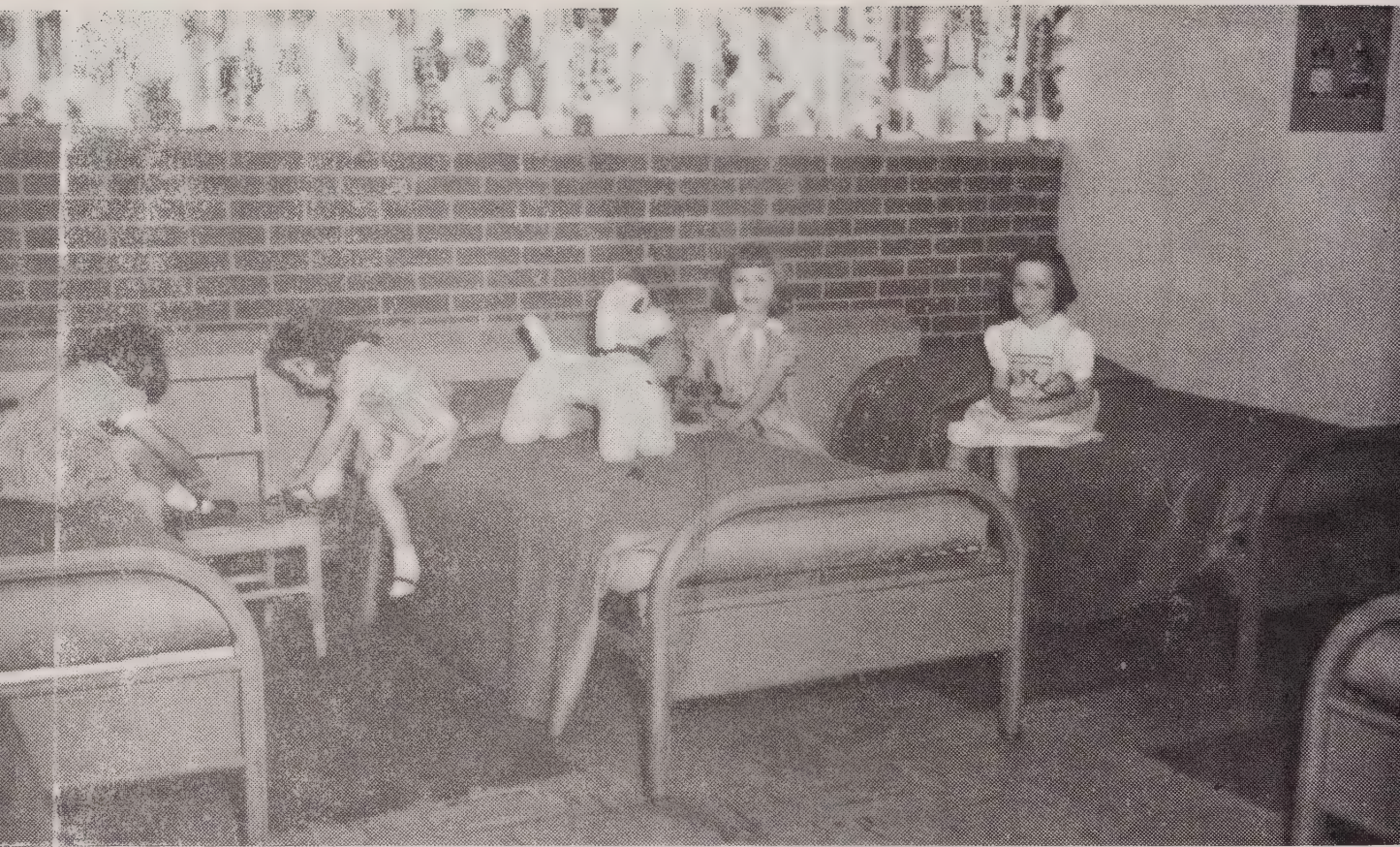
This is a beginning class in learning lip-reading. A picture is always used to associate the lip movements with the object.



This is a second-year class using a group hearing-aid. A group hearing aid helps in developing speech and lip-reading.



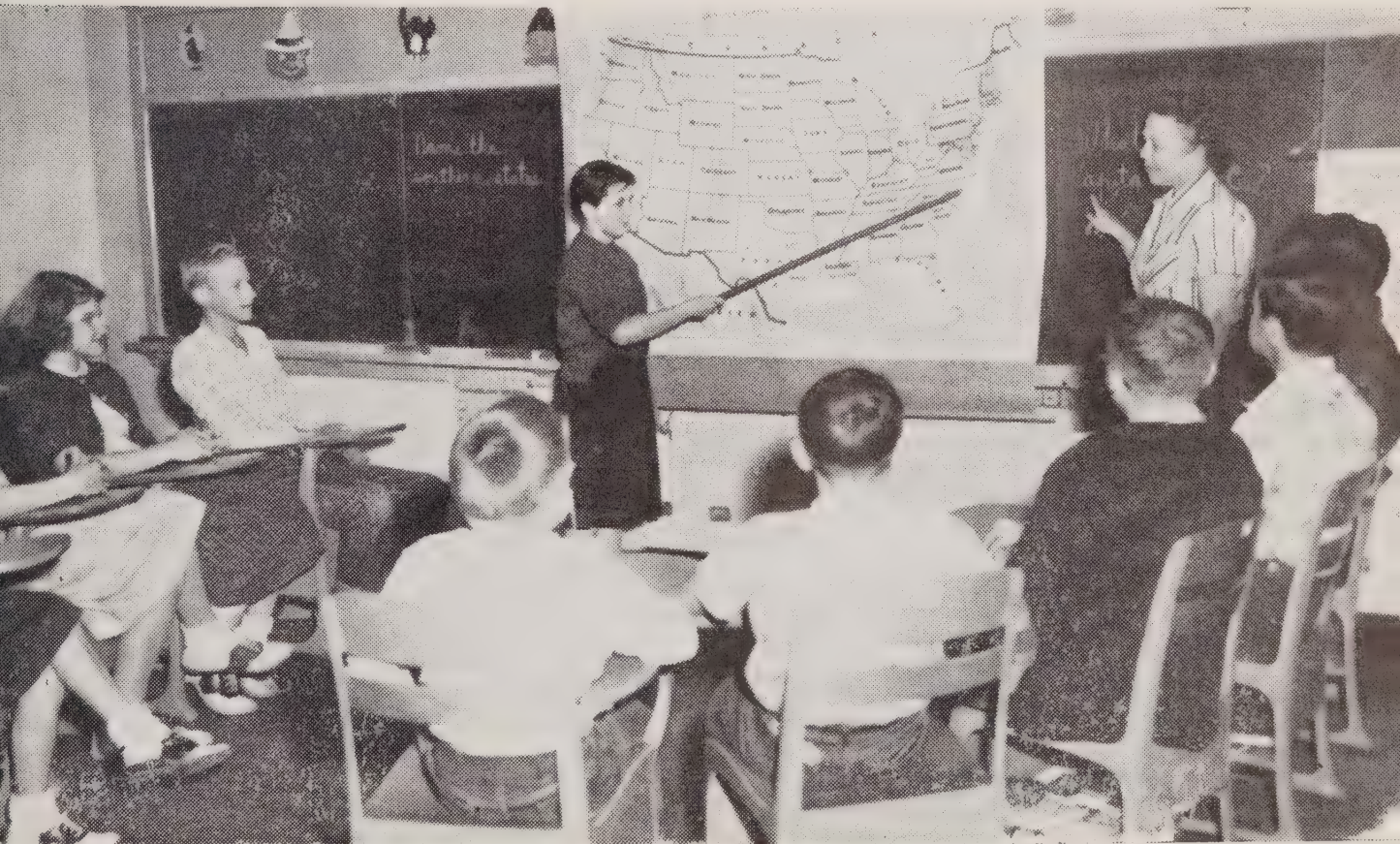
This group of children have been in school three months and are well adjusted to school life. Toys are provided by parents and are enjoyed at play periods.



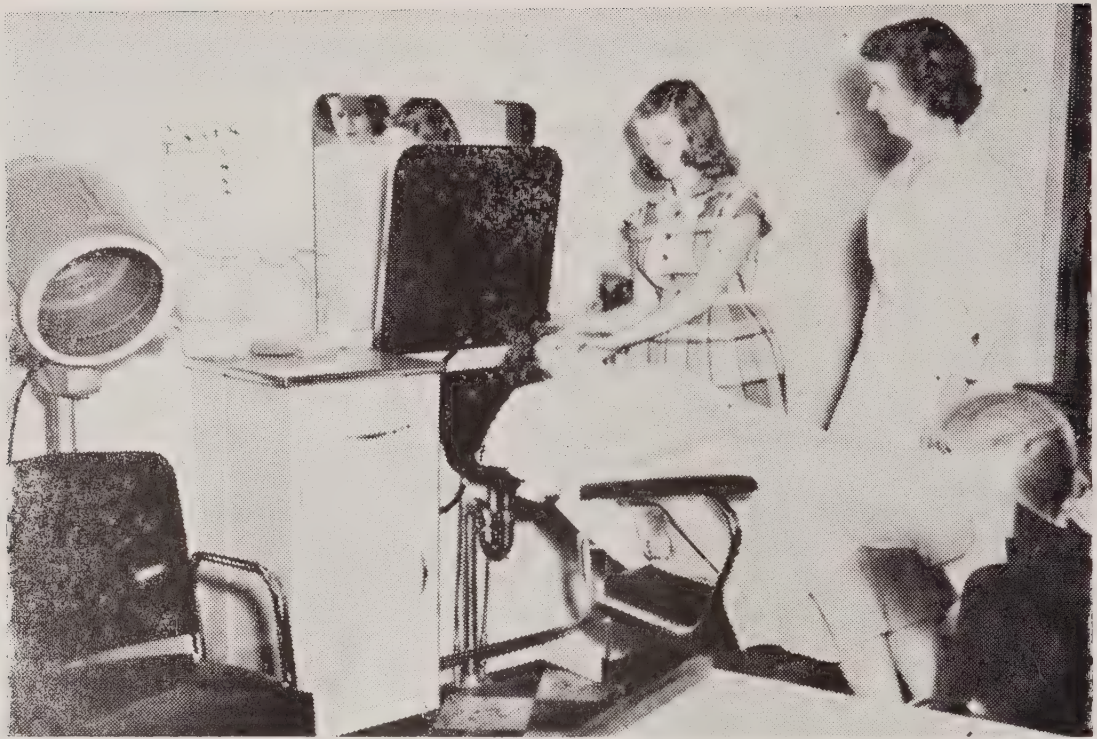
This is a bed time scene in a dormitory room in the new primary unit.
Dormitories in this new modern building are homelike and attractive.



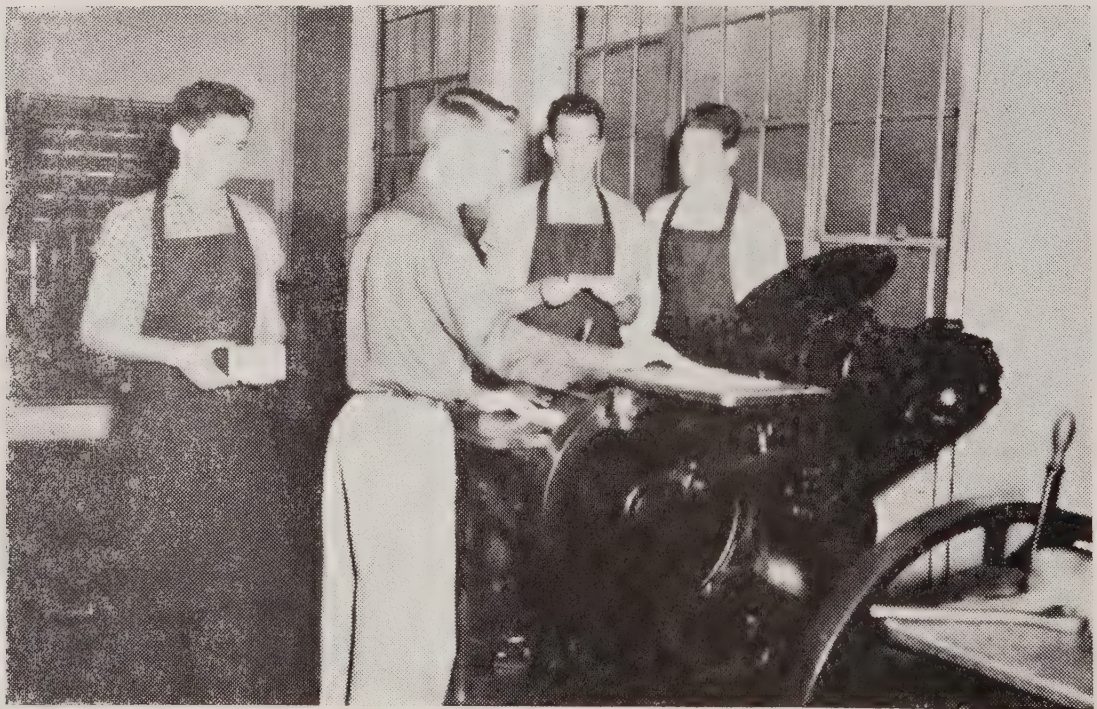
A HIGH SCHOOL CHEMISTRY CLASS: An elementary course is taught to give them some idea of the world of science.



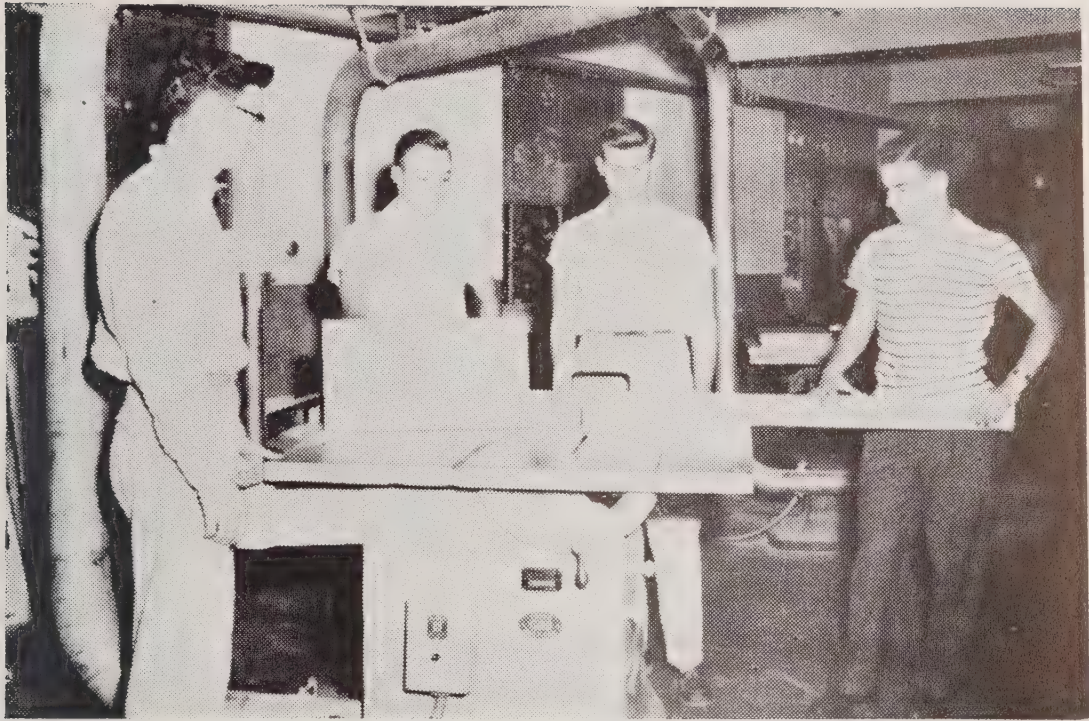
A fifth-grade class studying. Geography Subject matter at this level follows in general the public school curriculum with some adaptations.



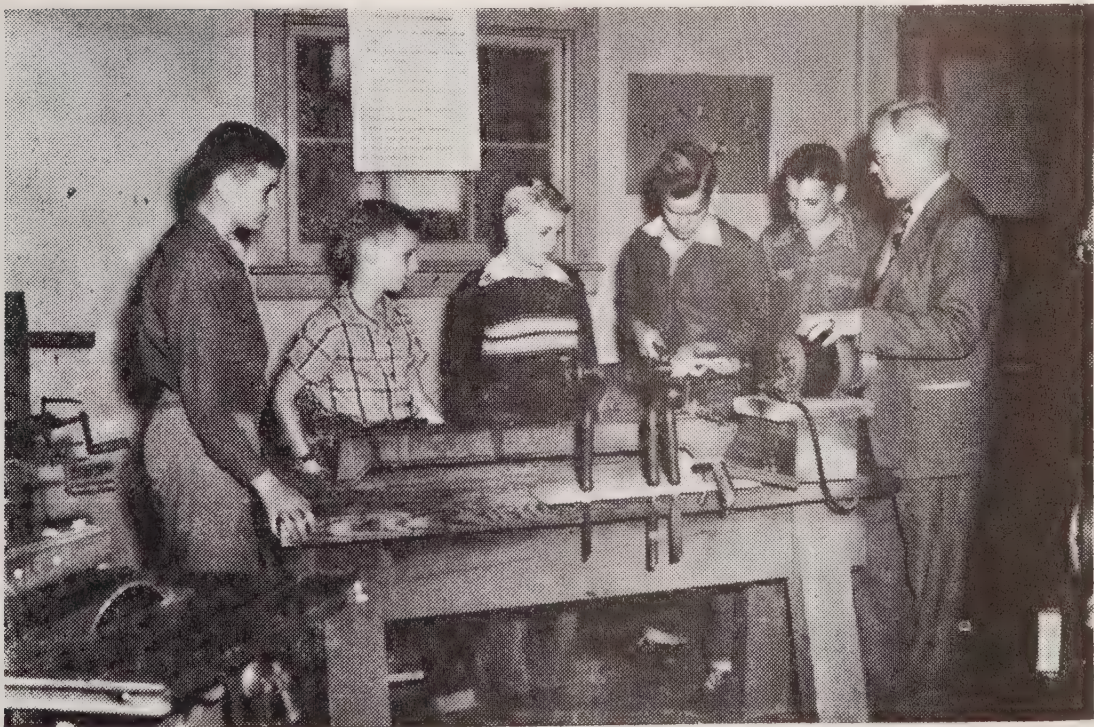
PERSONAL GROOMING: Personal grooming is offered to train girls to keep themselves well-groomed. It also develops interest in beauty culture.



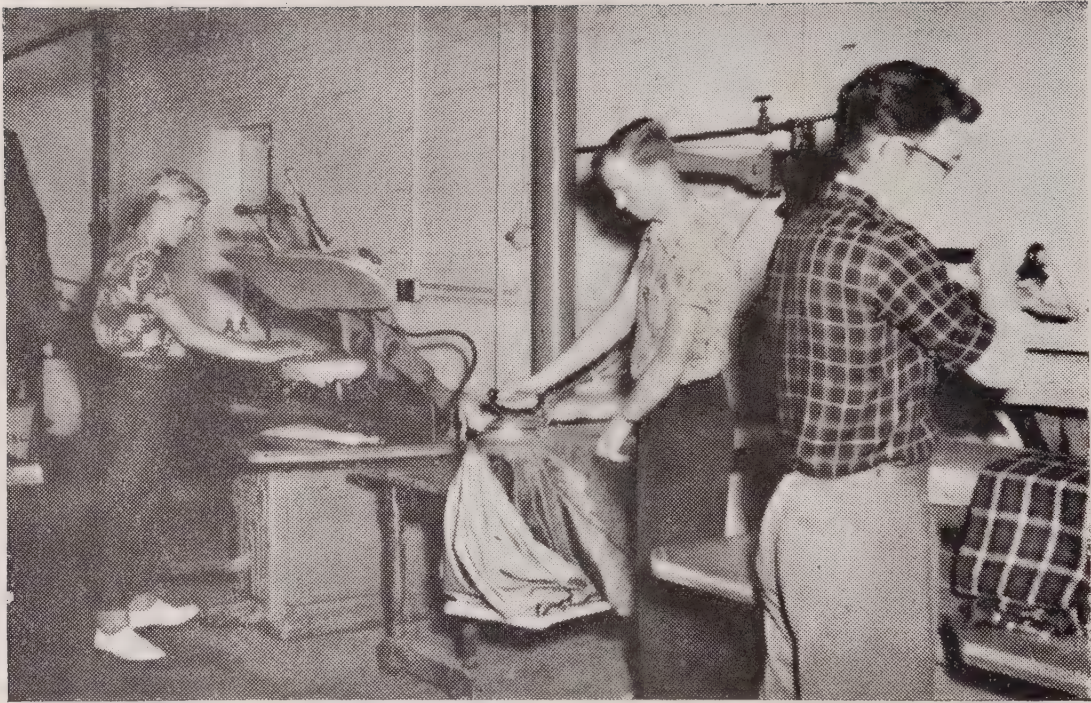
PRINTING: Printing is the most popular of all trades taught at the School. Job openings are numerous and the pay is good. Printing requires good language and an alert mind.



WOODWORKING: Due to the large furniture industry in North Carolina many deaf persons are employed in the wood-working industry. A very complete course is offered.



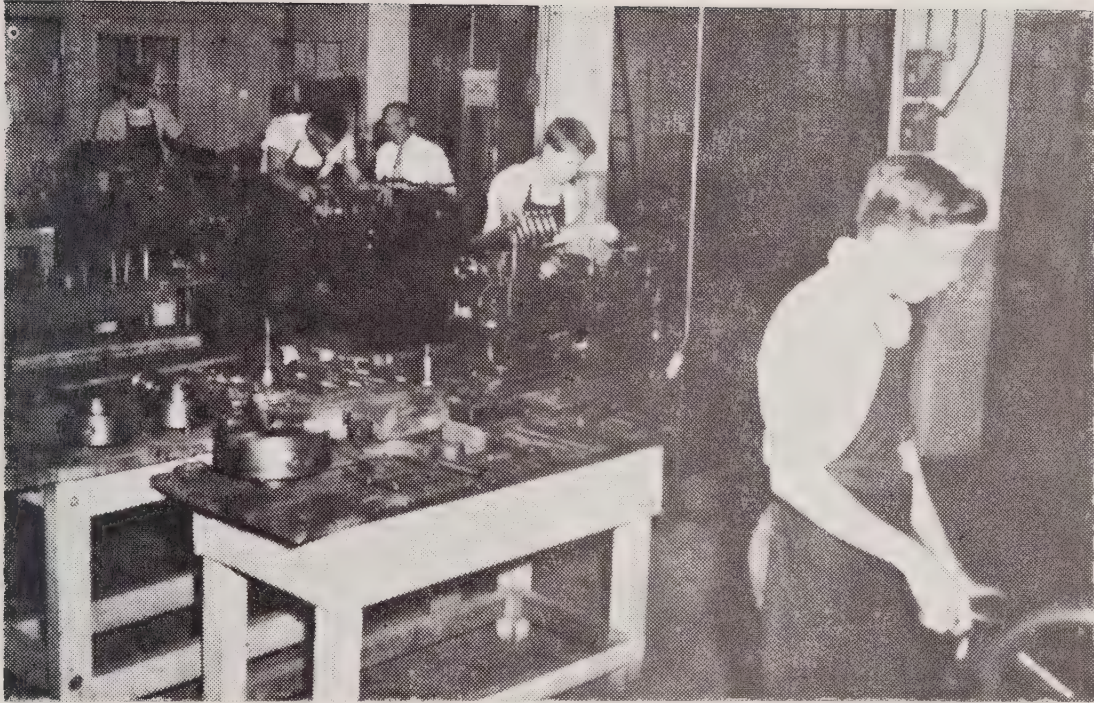
GENERAL SHOP: General Shop is exploratory in nature. It covers beginning wood work, metal work, home-mechanics and printing. This shop develops hand tool skill and gives an opportunity to observe each boy's mechanical aptitude.



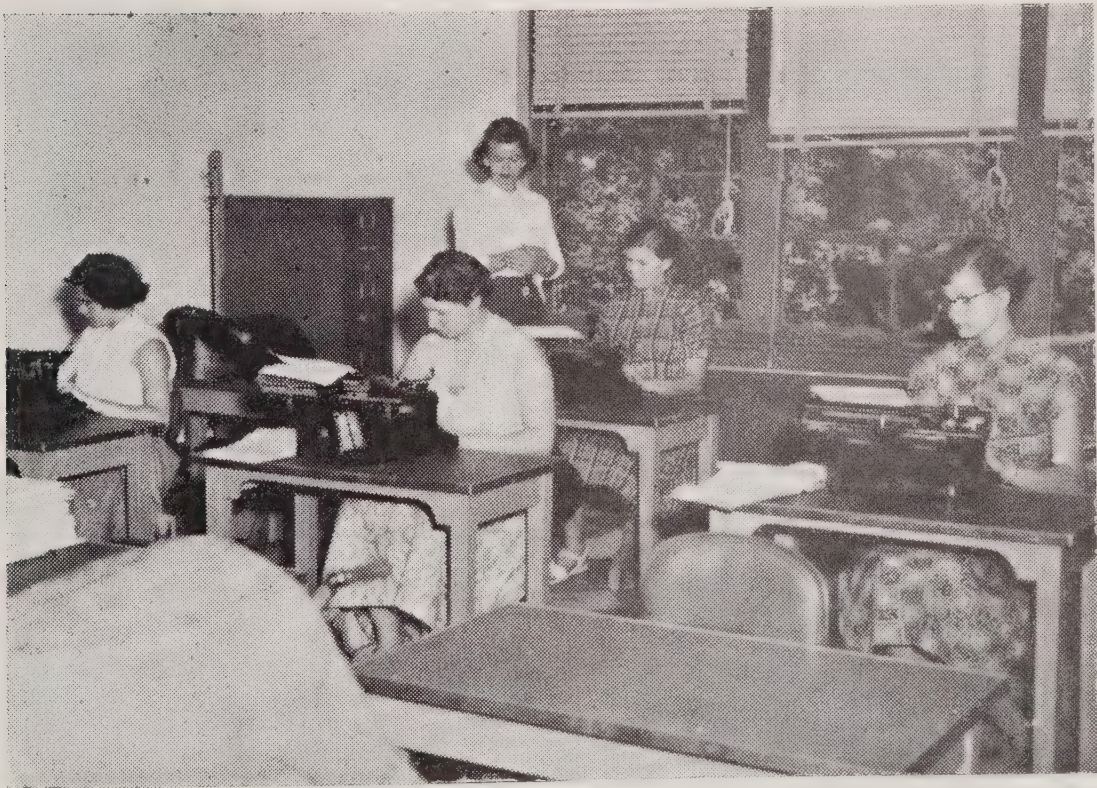
DRY CLEANING and PRESSING: All the dry cleaning and pressing for the student body is done by student trainees. It is a good vocation for the deaf since communication with the public is not generally required.



SHOE REPAIR and LEATHER CRAFT: All the shoes for the students are repaired by the students in the shoe shop. In addition, many leather projects are completed each year such as luggages, hand bags, belts and holsters.



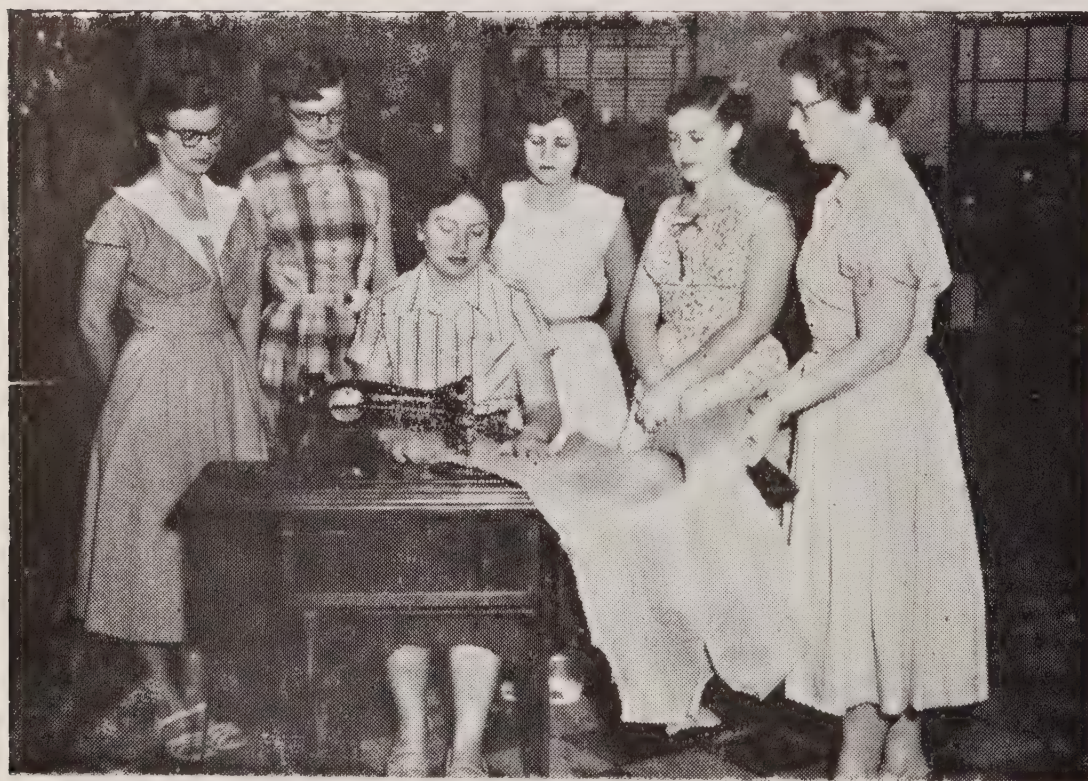
MACHINE SHOP: The students receive fundamentals in machine work, wrought iron work and welding. Several of our graduates have excellent jobs in the auto and aircraft industry.



BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION: This includes the fundamentals of filing, bookkeeping, typing, duplicating and key punch machine operation. The deaf can fill satisfactorily many positions in offices.



ART: All children receive some art instruction and the child shows talent may have extra time in this class.



SEWING: Every girl is required to take an intensive course in sewing. Some girls complete four or five garments a year.



DRIVER TRAINING EDUCATION: Driver Training is very popular among the older students. Since they are deaf driver training is even more essential to them than it is for the hearing. Safe and skillful drivers are being produced each year.



GIRLS CRAFT: Many projects are undertaken, including metal, ceramics, weaving, raffia and wood. This shop develops hand skills and interest in crafts.



CHILD CARE: Since about 85% of the students marry and rear families this instruction is very helpful. Deafness prevents them from getting much of this information through the ear so that formal specific instruction is necessary.



COOKERY: All girls have cooking. Food budgeting and home management are taught in this department. Table manners and social graces are also developed.

Sterling Honor Society

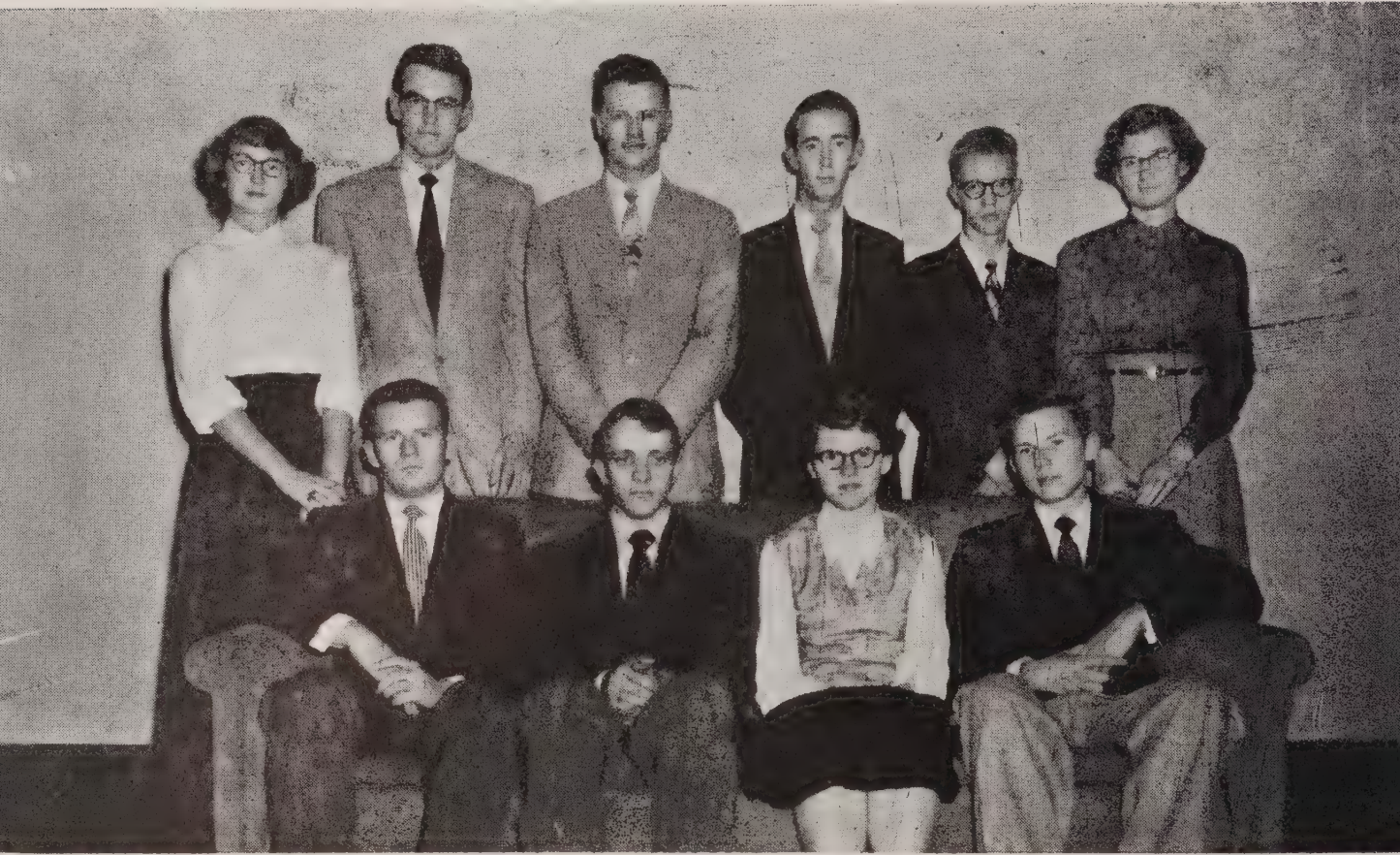


Fepha Honor Society



HONOR SOCIETIES: Boys and girls have their separate Honor Societies. These Societies are under a Faculty Committee. The standards are so high that it is difficult for a student to become a member, and after becoming a member, he or she, must live up to the highest possible standard in achievement and personality to retain membership.

Student Council



Pep Squad



CAMPUS LIFE: Through the Student Council, students are given an opportunity to participate in democratic living. At times this democratic living takes the form of "shouting for our sides."

Goodwin Literary Society



Christian Endeavor Society





BOY SCOUTS: The N. C. School for the Deaf Troop, Number 3, has always been a large and outstanding troop in the Piedmont Boy Scout Council; the fact that its members and Scoutmaster are deaf has not lessened in any way their achievement. It has always been one of the most active organizations on the campus. Many deaf boys have achieved the coveted Eagle Rank. Though this organization boys learn continuously to take care of themselves and be of assistance to others The whole aim of this organization is the building of strong character which is almost daily reflected in its wholesome influence while boys are in school.



GIRL SCOUTS: Through the Girl Scout Program, girls continuously learn how to take care of themselves at home and abroad, and how to be of greater service to the school and community. They enjoy learning such things as first-aid, all kinds of safety-measures, swimming and life-saving, home-making, dramatics, arts and crafts, cookery, hiking and camping. There are two Girl Scout troops and one Brownie troop.

Basketball Teams



HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION: The boys and girls in the North Carolina School for the Deaf are given both classroom instruction in Health, and Physical Education and actual participation in a wide variety of sports.



This new gym was completed in 1953. It fulfilled an urgent need for the physical education program.



Track Squad

Roll of Graduating Students—1952-54

The following children either graduated, or withdrew from school:

Graduates—June 11, 1953

Bledsoe, Bobbie Dean	Simmons, Elma Gray
Brooks, Joseph Carl	Turner, Betty Jean
Capes, Kermit Edwin	Hope, Zeldia
Daniels, Betty Jean	Crumpler, Thomas Manly
Greene, Peggy Jane	DeVenny, Hugh Edelen
Merritt, Jaunita Eva	Leonard, Lonnie Joseph
Miller, Dan Farrell	Clark, James Oliver
Moore, Richard Earl	Cooley, Walter Nelson
Peedin, Bertha Jo	Foster, Madge Lee
Richards, William Ronald	Faircloth, Ivey
Thaxton, Arthur Samuel	

Certificates of Attendance—June 11, 1953

Hensley, Beulah	Snell, Peggy
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The following students dropped out of school to go to work or for other reasons during the school year 1952-53:

Boyd, Buddy	Brinkley, Wayne
Bryant, Iva Faye	Fowler, Larry Earl
Gaskill, Marina L.	Gehring, Robert
Jones, Eloise	McEreath, E. Ray
Mitchell, Frank	Pittman, Geo. Neville
Tarleton, Andrew	Williams, Eugene
Ziegler, Hannie	

Normal Training Graduates—June 11, 1953

Mrs. Elizabeth M. Sasser, A. B.	Miss Joan Mary Newton, A. B.
Miss Sarah Louise Harris, A. B.	Mrs. Meta. H. Bigham, B. S.

Graduates—June 11, 1954

Arrington, Hartselle Lee	Morrow, James Edward
Crowder, Cecil Clifford	McLain, Geraldine Hattie
Dabbs, O'Neal Irving	Phillips, Travis Jackson
English, Fred Earl	Puett, Charles Andrew
Freeman, Mounie Avis	Robbins, Joan Elizabeth
Heath, William Edward	Riddle, Lowell Olive
Helms, James Everette	Riddle, Peggy Ann
Johnson, Vilas Monroe	Smith, Thomas Franklin
Johnson, Mary Ellen	Sentelle, Charles Camby
Lee, Rosalyn Faye	Senter, Donald Ray
Leonard, Richard Boyd	Smith, Wiley Martin
McAlister, Everette Wade	Walser, Roy Everette
Morton, Clyde Jackson	White, John Sterling

Certificates of Attendance—June 11, 1954

Mills, Mary Frances	Darnell, Carol Ann
Hill, Susie Lee	Williamson, Hazel
Chandler, Mary Bland	Dunn, Bobby

The following Students dropped out of school to go to work or for other reasons during the school year 1953-54:

Archie, Jerry W.
Bates, Jimmy Clay
Burleson, Grace
Frady, Harold Arthur
Huffstettler, Barbara
Ledford, Max Henry
Lorbacker, Lonnie
Justus, Billy

Harris, Billy Max
Miller, Brenda Hope
Plemmons, Lois
Sherian, Joan
Sherian, Betty
Voslah, Michael William
Williams, Frances G.
Wilson, Lamar

Normal Training Graduates—June 11, 1954

Billy Gene Blevins

Miss Mary Giles Davis

Student Enrollment — Biennium 1952-54

ALAMANCE

Handy, Franklin
Burlington

Handy, Garland
Burlington

Leonard, Peggy
Glen Raven

Schiretz, Frank
Burlington

Wyatt, Kirby
Burlington

ALEXANDER

Bebber, Phillip Lynn
Taylorsville

ASHE

Brooks, Osa
Warrensville

Bledsoe, Billy
Fleetwood

Bledsoe, Martha
Fleetwood

Darnell, Jaunita
Glendale Springs

ANSON

Ballard, Richard
Wadesboro

Calligan, Ellamary
Wadesboro

AVERY

Arnett, Clayton
Banner Elk

BERTIE

Pierce, Bertha
Merry Hill

BLADEN

Hines, Virginia
Bladensboro

Elkins, Peggy Lou
Bladensboro

BEAUFORT

Cooper, Cecil
Pike Road

Dunbar, Helen
Washington

BRUNSWICK

Hickman, Lana
Winnabow

Hickman, Tim Monroe
Winnabow

BUNCOMBE

Biddix, Virginia
Asheville

Black, Bertha
Asheville

Bailey, Marie
Asheville

Fox, Wayne C.
Leicester

Lawrence, Glenda
Weaverville

Marlowe, Annie Sue
Fairview

McAbee, Sandra
Biltmore

Moody, Carole
Candler

Phillips, Nell
Asheville

Phillips, Patsy
Asheville

Rice, Bobby Sue
Asheville

Shephard, Josephine
Swannanoa

Stamey, Brownie
Candler

Waldrup, Lucile
Weaverville

Webb, Mary Alice
Canton

Williams, Sandra
Asheville

BURKE

Adkins, Sylvia
Morganton

Brown, Georganne
Morganton

Carpenter, Johnny
Morganton

Gibbs, Betty
Morganton

Helms, Everette
Morganton

Helms, Linda
Morganton

Hensley, Eugene
Morganton

Johnston, Faye
Morganton

Leonard, David, Jr.
Morganton

Leonard, Janice
Morganton

Leonard, Patsy
Glen Alpine

Leonard, Richard
Morganton

Midgette, Howard Boyce
Morganton

Mitchell, Jackson W.
Morganton

Mills, David
Morganton

Morrow, James
Morganton

Puett, Charles
Morganton

Setzer, Nancy
Morganton

Stewart, Jerry
Morganton

Senter, Donald
Morganton

Tessneer, Betty Jean
Morganton

Wilson, Marcella
Morganton

Williams,, Francis Gene
Morganton

CABARRUS

Brown, Sally
Kannapolis

Carelock, Joan
Kannapolis

Furr, Peggy Jean
Concord

Gordon, Jewell
Kannapolis

Lisenby, Paula Ann
Concord

Moss, Roger Dale
Kannapolis

Moss, Shelba
Kannapolis

Mullis, Shelba
Kannapolis

Mullis, Barbara
Concord

Robbins, Joan
Concord

Scercy, Barbara
Kannapolis

Snipes, Larry
Concord

West, Patsy
Spencer

West, Linda
Spencer

CALDWELL

Greene, Jean
Lenoir

Long, Carrie Lee
Lenoir

Miller, Johnny
Lenoir

Moore, Claude
Lenoir

Pennell, John
Lenoir

Phillips, Peggy
Lenoir

CASWELL

Blackwood, Howard
Yanceyville

Yarborough, Marvin
Danville, Va.

CATAWBA

Greenwood, James Gary
Newton

Harvell, Alfred
Newton

Heath, Billy
Hickory

Hill, Lynn
Hickory

Lutz, Margaret
Vale

McGee, Judith
Hickory

McGee, Paulette
Sherrill's Ford

Phillips, Jerry
Hickory

Pitts, Patricia
Hickory

Settlemyre, Dorothy
Hickory

Spencer, Herman
Conover

CHATHAM

Neal, Ronald
Pittsboro

Phillips, Jack
Bear Creek

Roberts, Mike
Bonlee

CHOWAN

Keeter, Lewis
Edenton

CLAY

Reece, Sue
Warne

CLEVELAND

Barrett, William
Shelby

Hope, Jack
Kings Mountain

Ledford, Max
Ellenboro

Page, Thomas Roy
Shelby

Sisk, Paul Alexander
Shelby

COLUMBUS

Cooke, Bobby Joe
Boardman

Soles, Beulah
Chadbourn

Reaves, Barbara
Nakina

Umphlett, Dewey
Elizabeth City

Ward, Edmond, Jr.
Clarendon

Williamson, Carol
Nakina

CRAVEN

Andrews, Barbara
New Bern

CUMBERLAND

Bain, Christine
Wade

Brantley, Nancy
Fayetteville

Bunnel, Sylvia
Fayetteville

Canady, Grace
Hope Mills

Chapman, Edgar
Wade

Faircloth, Pheobe
Stedman

Faircloth, Douglas
Stedman

Horne, Virginia
Hope Mills

Huffham, Donald
Fayetteville

Huffham, Annie
Fayetteville

Kelly, Henry
Wade

Jackson, James Jerry
Fayetteville

McQueen, Doris Faye
Fayetteville

Riddle, Knox
St. Paul's

Riddle, Lowell
St. Paul's

Smith, Edom
Roseboro

Smith, Wiley
Roseboro

Sullivan, Judy
Fayetteville

DARE

Austin, Glendia
Hatteras

Austin, Ulysses
Hatteras

DAVIDSON

Allen, Jo Ann
Thomasville

Brinkley, Edna
Lexington

Caudle, Fred
Welcome

Caudle, Ned
Welcome

Caudle, Ruth
Welcome

Koontz, Larry
Lexington

Leonard, Janice
Lexington

Tussey, Robert
Lexington

Walser, Roy
Lexington

DAVIE

Miller, Edward Eugene
Advance

Miller, Gay
Advance

Smoot, Gilbert
Mocksville

Wood, Charles
Advance

DURHAM

Bryant, Harvey
Durham

Lorbacker, Lonnie
Durham

Lindsey, Tommy
Durham

McFarland, Lindsey
Durham

Plemmons, Lois
Durham

Reeder, Patricia Ann
Durham

Richardson, Edna
Durham

Stutts, Jerry
Durham

Maready, Linwood
Chinquapin

EDGECOMBE

Daughtridge, Sylvia J.
Rocky Mount

Joyner, Selva Jean
Rocky Mount

Matthews, James W. III
Rocky Mount

FORSYTH

Cornett, Patricia
Winston-Salem

Duggins, Richard
Tobaccoville

Hill, Donald
Winston-Salem

Lee, Rosayin Faye
Winston-Salem

Lewis, Pamela
Walnut Cove

Vickers, Yvette
Winston-Salem

White, John S.
Winston-Salem

Woodle, Albert
Winston-Salem

FRANKLIN

Sherian, Betty
Louisburg

Sherian, Joan
Louisburg

GASTON

Cline, Dorothy
Dallas

Dye, Jean
Gastonia

Graham, Leroy
Belmont

Huffstettler, Barbara
Gastonia

London, Floyd
Belomnt

Martin, Geraldine
Mt. Holly

Stalcup, Elaine
Bessemer City

Weaver, Peggy Ann
Bessemer City

GRAHAM

Millsaps, Ruby
Cheoah

GRANVILLE

Chuites, Nancy
Butner

Daniel, Carolyn
Oxford

Ellis, Clement
Oxford

Jones, Bobby
Oxford

GREENE

Carraway, Mildred
Walstonburg

James, Johnny
Grifton

GUILFORD

Clark, Mildred T.
High Point

Cole, Barbara
High Point

Darnell, Carol Ann
Greensboro

Dykes, Robert William
High Point

Haithcock, Edgar Lee
Brown Summit

Johnson, Judy Ann
Greensboro

Johnson, Tommy
Greensboro

Rickard, Sharon
High Point

Rock, Jim
McLeansville

Small, Mickey
High Point

Smith, Richard
Greensboro

Vosloh, Michael W.
Greensboro

Wilson, Lamar
High Point

Wood, Judy
Jamestown

HARNETT

Autry, Robert
Erwin

Core, Donald L.
Dunn

HALIFAX

Harper, Harvey Jr.
Littleton

HAYWOOD

Arrington, Hartsell
Clyde

Arrington, Shirley
Clyde

Chandler, Mary Bland
Waynesville

Pless, Charles Ray
Waynesville

HENDERSON

Bradley, J. W.
Hendersonville

Justus, Billy
Flat Rock

HERTFORD

Outlaw, Carolyn
Ahoskie

HOKE

Chambers, Clyde
Raeford

English, Ellen G.
Raeford

English, Fred
Raeford

English, Neill
Raeford

Pierce, George F.
Raeford

HYDE

Harris, Judy
Leechville

IREDELL

Brooks, Carlos
Statesville

Johnson, Mary Ellen
Statesville

Johnson, Vilas Monroe
Statesville

Mann, Benny
Mooresville

Moose, James
Statesville

Moose, Dessie
Statesville

Pegram, Mary
Union Grove

Stewart Donnie
Mooresville

JACKSON

Frady, Harold A.
Sylva

Smith, Gene
East LaPorte

JOHNSTON

Ballance, Anna G.
Four Oaks

Baker, Jean
Selma

Phillips, Barbara A.
Kenley

Rose, Dene
Smithfield

Rose, Gene
Smithfield

Tart, Vicky
Dunn

Young, Ellen
Benson

Young, J. D.
Benson

Young, Priscilla Ann
Benson

LEE

Page, Robert
Sanford

Poole, Bobbie
Sanford

Riddle, Peggy
Sanford

Spivey, Ronnie
Sanford

LENOIR

Gardner, Carolyn
Kinston

Gardner, Geraldine
Kinston

Hardison, Vernon
Kinston

Howard, Dorothy
Kinston

Murphy, William Ray
Kinston

LINCOLN

Grigg, Diane
Lincolnton

Hull, Gene
Lincolnton

McAlister, Everette
Lincolnton

Whitesides, Emily
Lincolnton

Whitesides, Martha
Lincolnton

MADISON

Crowder, Cecil
Mars Hill

Shook, Frederick
Mars Hill

MARTIN

Council, Melvin Lee
Williamston

Crisp, Barbara
Robersonville

Perry, Margaret
Williamston

McDOWELL

Duncan, William A.
Marion

MECKLENBURG

Allen, Elizabeth
Charlotte

Brooks, J. Carl
Charlotte

Brown, Franklin
Charlotte

Carpenter, Howard R.
Charlotte

Childers, Russell
Charlotte

Childers, Johnny
Charlotte

DeVenny, Robert
Charlotte

Freeman, Lorene
Matthews

Harrison, Brenda
Charlotte

Helms, Larry
Matthews

Houlbrook, Charles
Charlotte

McCord, Sam
Charlotte

McGuirt, Ellen Kay
Charlotte

Melton, Larry Parks
Charlotte

Mills, Mary Frances
Charlotte

Privette, Barbara
Charlotte

Robinson, John Lewis
Charlotte

Simmons, Fay Joy
Charlotte

Spivey, Frances
Charlotte

Wright, Hal
Cornelius

Wright, Hayward
Cornelius

Wright, Terry
Cornelius

MITCHELL

Autrey, Peggy
Spruce Pine

Blevins, Alma Jean
Bakersville

Clark, Patsy Ann
Spruce Pine

Burelson, Grace
Bakersville

MOORE

Bruce, Bob Roger
Robbins

Dunn, Bobby
Vass

Freeman, Avis
Eagle Springs

Kennedy, Marion
Pinehurst

McKenzie, Irwin
West End

McKenzie, Tony
West End

Williamson, Hazel
Robbins

NASH

Briggs, Anna V.
Roxboro

Stone, Raymond
Middlesex

NEW HANOVER

Brower, Willie
Wilmington

Fowler, Roy
Leland
Nurnberger, Vincent
Wilmington

Phipps, Elbert
Leland

Swann, Jimmie
Wilmington

ONSLOW

Batchelor, Geraldine
Richlands

Dillon, Terry M.
Jacksonville

ORANGE

Cooke, Michael
Chapel Hill

PITT

Evans, Johnny Ray
Winterville

Jones, James W.
Greenville

Jones, Marjorie Ruth
Greenville

Lockamy, Ray Glenn
Greenville

Lockamy, Richard
Greenville

Lockamy, Russell
Greenville

PAMLICO

Lewis, Mildred D.
Lowland

Powers, Larry
Whartonsville

Yokeley, Roy C., Jr.
Stonewall

RANDOLPH

Bowman, Shirley
Asheboro

Bulla, Nancy
Asheboro

Keeling, Mary Frances
Asheboro
Mendenhall, Lelia
High Point

Miller, Sandra
Asheboro

Noah, Wayne
Liberty

Wall, Harold
Trinity

RICHMOND

Gobble, Eddie
Hamlet

ROBESON

Britt, Luther Thomas
Lumberton

Ludlum, Yvonne
Lumberton

Morgan, Barbara Ann
Rowland

Oxendine, Barbara
Pembroke

West, Morris
Lumberton

Wilkens, Ray
Pembroke

ROCKINGHAM

Dabbs, O'Neal
Reidsville

Hall, Joey
Mayodan

Hailey, Philip
Draper

Johnson, Theresa
Mayodan

Pruitt, Peggy
Leaksville

ROWAN

Archie, Carolyn
China Grove

Archie, Jerry W.
China Grove

Bates, Jimmy
Kannapolis

Benfield, Gary Wayne
Kannapolis

Cooley, Dianne
Salisbury

Duffell, Martha
Rockwell

Hager, Jerry
China Grove

Isenhour, Betty Jean
China Grove

Medinger, Sylvia
Spencer

Riddle, Nancy
Salisbury

Stephens, Ruby
China Grove

RUTHERFORD

Beaver, Paul R.
Union Mills

Byers, Bruce
Forest City

Harris, Billy Max
Forest City

Ruppe, Donald L.
Rutherfordton

Stroud, Billy
Ellenboro

Wood, Joseph
Forest City

SAMPSON

Crumpler, Billy
Salemberg

Gurganious, Dalton
Kerr

Hall, Mary E.
Autryville
Hawley, Ralph
Dunn

Hawley, Tony
Newton Grove

Williams, Billy
Godwin

SCOTLAND

Bass, Owen
Old Hundred

STANLEY

Burleson, Judy Ann
Albemarle

Furr, Wayne
New London

Kirk, Guy
Albemarle

Morton, Clyde
Albemarle

Talbert, Annette
Stanfield

STOKES

Fagg, Viola
Danbury

Wright, Vergie Mae
Pinnacle

SURRY

Hayes, Johnny
Elkin

Hill, Susie Lee
Mount Airy

McBride, Ted
Mount Airy

Taylor, Dean
Pilot Mountain

Wolfe, J. W.
Dobson

Wolfe, Maggie Louise
Dobson

SWAIN

Crowe, Charles
Cherokee

Downes, Agnes
Bryson City

Ledford, Polly
Cherokee

TRANSYLVANIA

Miller, Brenda Hope
Brevard

Searcy, Lorena
Pisgah Forest

Searcy, Richard
Pisgah Forest

Searcy, Roy W.
Pisgah Forest

Sentelle, Charles
Pisgah Forest

UNION

Price, Sammy
Unionville

Smith, Tommy
Waxhaw

Stegall, Lanny
Marshville

Stucky, Pat
Monroe

Williams, Sue
Monroe

VANCE

Myers, Sue
Henderson

Patterson, Glenn
Henderson

WAKE

Duncan, Denna
Raleigh
Duncan Sandy
Raleigh

Duncan, William C.
Raleigh

Lewis, Robert
Raleigh

Morris, Joan
Raleigh

Nichols, W. H.
Raleigh

Pegram, Marie
Apex

Scarboro, Bob
Wendell

Scarboro, Marry Ella
Wendell

Seagroves, Margaret
Raleigh

Snakenburg, Kaye
Raleigh

WARREN

Mitchiner, John Tyson
Warrenton

WATAUGA

Miller, Johnny
Triplett

Taylor, Bobby
Deep Gap

Thomas, Clint
Boone

Thomas, Hazel
Boone

WAYNE

Herring, Emily Joyce
Fremont

Howell, Richard
Goldsboro

Summerlin, Marie
Goldsboro

WILKES

Anderson, Betty Sue
North Wilkesboro

Barnes, John T.
Boomer

Dancy, Carl
Wilbar

Gray, Lee Ellen
Cycle

Johnson, Archie
Wilkesboro

Johnson, Harold
Wilkesboor

Johnson, Rachel
Wilkesboro

Reeves, Grady
Wilkesboro

Street, Wade
Bakersville

Triplett, Mike
Traphill

Yates, Darrell Thomas
North Wilkesboro

WILSON

Beamon, Janice
Elm City

Beamon, Shirley
Elm Ctiy

Williams, Charles Roy
Elm City

YADKIN

Blakley, Melvin
East Bend

YANCEY

Ballew, Louise
Burnsville

Boone, Douglas
Newdale

Fox, Homer
Burnsville

Ray, Barbara
Burnsville

Ray, Maurice
Burnsville

Out of State

(Pupils whose parents
are members of armed
forces or who are tem-
porarily out of State.)

Adair, Sandra
Rock Hill, S. C.

Taylor, Bobby
McColl, S. C.

McLain, Geraldine
Lugoff, S. C.

Williamson, Barney
Clemson, S. C.

Stephens, Billy C.
Norfolk, Va.

Rochester, Joe
Walhalla, S. C.

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Letter of Transmittal

His Excellency, Luther H. Hodges
Governor of North Carolina
Executive Chamber
Raleigh, North Carolina

Dear Sir:

The Board of Directors of the North Carolina School for the Deaf have the honor to transmit to your Excellency their thirty-third biennial report, and respectfully ask your careful examination of the condition, progress and needs of the School.

The members of the Board wish to express their appreciation for your active interest in, and your courteous consideration of, the needs of the School.

Respectfully submitted,
Wm. S. McCord
Secretary

July 1, 1956

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Letter of Transmittal

Members of the Board:

It is my duty and privilege to submit to you a report on the operation of the School for the years 1954-56. There are two significant features of this report:

First, one report states conditions and needs as clearly as possible.

Second, we have again included pictures of School Life. We feel these will give everybody a better understanding of the work of the School.

Respectfully submitted,

Ben E. Hoffmeyer, *Superintendent*

OUR SYMBOL OF LIFE: THE CLOCK TOWER

has been there since the day the School opened on "Vine Hill"; its clock faces point to the next thing to be done; its beautiful symetry is a memory that goes with us wherever we go.



Tower, straight and tall
Our symbol be
Of lives strong, straight and true
That others may see.

General Information

The North Carolina School for the Deaf is a free public school operated for the benefit of those children who are handicapped by loss of hearing. The children are admitted to the school under the provisions of State Law.

It is the aim of the School to attain the following objectives:

1. To seek in every way to help each deaf child become a well-rounded individual who fits into American community life; a person alert to life about him, informed about local, national and world affairs, capable of independent thinking and action with regard to these, socially adjusted in home and community, reverent toward those things held sacred by us as a people, and loyal to State and Nation.
2. To so equip each child vocationally that he or she may be economically a self-sustaining person; to develop as far as possible those skills which will enable the individual to secure and hold the best possible job commensurate with his abilities.
3. To develop in each child, as far as possible, a strong healthy body, intelligent attitudes toward health and wholesome health habits.
4. To secure for each child, as far as possible, a formal education through twelve grades.
5. To develop in each child full capacity in speech-reading.
6. To develop in each child, as far as possible, capacity to use normal speech.

If children are physically strong and well developed, they should enter school as early as possible; that is, as soon as they appear to be sufficiently matured to live under the conditions of dormitory life at the School. Beginning in the fall of 1954 children may be entered at the age of five years. We have a compulsory attendance law in North Carolina. General Statutes, 115-130, which requires that the parents of every "deaf child" of school age place it in school. The interpretation put upon the term "deaf child" for purpose of determining whether a child shall be admitted to this School or shall remain in attendance at a hearing school is whether, in the opinion of his teachers in the hearing school, he can do satisfactory work there; if his work is unsatisfactory, and the cause appears to be loss of hearing, the principal of the hearing school may dismiss him from that school; the parents of

such a child must then, under Law, enter him in the School immediately.

The only charge is a school fee of \$20.00 for books, clothing repair and other incidental expenses. It is, of course, necessary for parents to pay bus or railroad fare to and from the School and to clothe children properly. It is of greatest importance that children have warm clothing. Experience with the problem of clothing has led us to prepare a suggested list which may be had upon request.

If parents of deaf children are in indigent circumstances and not able to pay travel expenses to and from the School, or to clothe their children properly, they may apply for aid by so stating on oath before a Magistrate; the Court may then order the County Department of Public Welfare to assume the expenses. Parents should in all cases notify the Superintendent when unable to undertake the expense of sending their children to this School.

Staff and Faculty — Biennium 1954-56

ADMINISTRATIVE

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Teachers—Upper School

Mrs. Betty W. Barnes	Mrs. Jane C. Williams, B. S.
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Teachers—Intermediate School

Mrs. Beatrice Chapman, B. A.	Mrs. Anna L. S. Melton, A. B.
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Mrs. Annie C. Causby, A. B.	Mrs. Dorothy B. Mitchell, B. A.
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Teachers—Primary School

Miss Joy C. Bowers	Miss Louise Harris, B. A.
Mrs. Josephine M. Brendle	Mrs. Bleecker M. Harbison
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Miss Marjorie Gordon	Mrs. Mary B. Tuttle
Mrs. Martha C. Hord	Mrs. Mary Gordon Patton, A. B.
Miss Elizabeth J. Watrous	

Teachers—Vocational

Paul B. Crutchfield	Printing
Miss Lucy Goins, M. A.	Home Economics
John E. McCreight	General Shop
Arthur Merilla	Dry Cleaning and Tailoring
R. E. Mayfield	Shoe Shop and Leather Work
John T. Oxford	Metals Work
Miss Charline T. Rotha, M. A.	Driver Training
Mrs. Anne Starrett	Art
Wilson W. Sherrill	Cabinet Making
Mrs. Kathleen P. Underhill	Crafts
Mrs. DeLaney Winchester, B. S.	Sewing

CUSTODIAL — MAINTENANCE

Mrs. Nell B. Mundy	House Director, Main Building
D. Bruce Jack	Boys' Head Supervisor, Main Building
Miss Kathleen MacClellan	Girls' Head Supervisor, Main Building
Miss Julia M. Rust	House Director, Goodwin Hall
Miss Mary Kirksey	Girls' Head Supervisor, Goodwin Hall
Mrs. Nisha R. Stephens	Boys' Head Supervisor, Goodwin Hall
Mrs. Elizabeth Sloan	Assistant House Director, Rankin Hall
Mrs. Ruth Y. Silver	Girls' Head Supervisor, Rankin Hall
Mrs. Clafton H. Leonard	Boys' Head Supervisor, Rankin Hall
Dr. James F. McGimsey, Jr.	School Physician
Dr. Ralph Coffey	School Dentist
Miss Gladys Quinn, R. N.	School Nurse
Miss Hazel Glenn	Assistant Nurse
Mrs. Iola C. Gaylord, B. S.	Head Dietitian
Miss Elaine Medlin, B. S.	Assistant Dietitian
Mrs. Elizabeth Rusmisell	Assistant Dietitian
Fred Rusmisell	Plant Engineer
Dan F. Cameron	Farm Manager
C. L. Street	Head Laundry Department

Superintendent's Report

It is with humble pride that I make my first Biennial Report as Superintendent of the North Carolina School for the Deaf. Dr. Carl E. Rankin resigned as of October 1, 1955 to accept a professorship at Gallaudet College in Washington, D. C. Gallaudet is the only college for the deaf in the world, and Dr. Rankin was honored by being appointed as the head of the Psychology Department. Dr. Rankin ably served as Superintendent from 1937 to 1955.

The education of the deaf requires more professional skills than any other type of teaching, except that of teaching the child who is both blind and deaf. The development of speech and language in a child who is deaf is unbelievably difficult. Loss of hearing deprives a child of innumerable contact with words that are required before they become a part of his vocabulary.

We are making every effort to have a strong speech and language program. The academic achievement has been raised two full years in the last eight years. This has been possible by better teaching methods and probably more auditory training equipment.

The Vocational Department is doing exceptionally fine work in preparing the students to earn a living. Vocational training requires skilled teachers and adequate equipment. We are reaching a point where we feel we are giving the deaf student a well-rounded vocational education.

The new primary unit completed for use in the first year of the biennium has brought the State School national recognition. We are rated very highly because of this pure oral unit.

The greatest and most urgent need is more dormitory space. Children are sleeping in double-deck beds which is not satisfactory. We are at capacity now, and it will be necessary to have a waiting list, if more space is not provided.

The state employees who are in charge of children after school hours now work over 60 hours a week and have one Sunday off each month. It is desirable to reduce their time

on duty to a 48-hour week, so that a more desirable type of person can be obtained for this important work.

Special education for the deaf is so necessary in order to make them self-supporting citizens. In a recent survey, it was learned that 93 percent of all the deaf of North Carolina are gainfully employed. This is only two percent less than normal employment percentages. The average wage is \$52 a week. There are 103 linotype operators who average \$95 a week. Education for the deaf, although expensive is a good investment for the State.

The enrollment shows a steady yearly increase of ten pupils per year over the last ten years. This has called for a steady increase of the current expense budget and has made the available dormitory space inadequate.

The teacher shortage is even more acute in the field of the education of the deaf. The North Carolina School for the Deaf must compete nationally for teachers of the deaf. It requires two years to adequately train a teacher of the deaf. Frequently teachers leave the School in North Carolina to teach in states where the salary is much higher. It has been necessary to train teachers at the North Carolina School for the Deaf for many years. During the school year 1955-56, the Training Course was nationally recognized and accredited. This is an honor of which the administration and the staff are very proud. Two colleges, Lenoir-Rhyne and Appalachian State Teachers Colleges, recognizes 32 semester hours credit given at the North Carolina School for the Deaf. This program is self-supporting, and is conducted at no cost to the state. Each trainee pays tuition which fully covers the expense of the course.

I personally feel it is an honor to serve the state and the deaf of North Carolina. It is my sincere hope that I will be able to lead this institution to new heights of achievement and service.

Respectfully submitted,

Ben E. Hoffmeyer, *Superintendent*

July 1, 1956

DR. RANKIN RESIGNS AS SUPERINTENDENT

Dr. Carl E. Rankin, for the past 18 years superintendent of the North Carolina School for the Deaf, resigned so he could accept a faculty position at Gallaudet College in Washington, D. C. Gallaudet College is the only college for the deaf in the world. He accepted the position of teacher of psychology.

Dr. Rankin had been connected with the school since 1935, serving as assistant superintendent for two years before he became the institution's second superintendent in 1937 when he succeeded his father-in-law, the late Dr. E. McK. Goodwin.

Dr. Rankin, a native North Carolinian, has been an educator in the United States and in the Orient. Born in Guilford County September 14, 1892, he attended Elon College, received his A.B. degree from Davidson in 1917; his M.A. degree from Columbia in 1920 and a Ph.D. degree in 1936. He did graduate work at Teachers College at Columbia 1920-26 and 1931-32, and at the University of North Carolina 1932-33.

He began his teaching career in Marquand high school in Brooklyn, New York as a teacher of English in 1920 and went the next year to the Horace Mann School for Boys. From 1922 to 1926 he was head of the department of English at McBurney School in New York City. Going to Canton, China, he served as associate professor of education and psychology at Teachers College and occupied the chair of education at Lingnan University from 1926 to 1930, when he was made dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at Lingnan.

Returning to the United States he held a Naomi Norworthy graduate fellowship at Teachers College in 1932-33. He served as dean at Westminster College at New Wilmington, Pennsylvania for the year 1933-34. Dr. Rankin is a member of many educational societies.

He has been active in Boy Scout work, serving as commissioner for the Piedmont Council and member of the National Council. He received an Eagle award in 1944 and was awarded the Silver Beaver award for outstanding service to Scouting in 1945.

He is past president, secretary and director of the N. C. Holstein-Friesian Association.

Dr. Rankin, who has served as an elder of the First Presbyterian church, was a first lieutenant in the Army during World War I. He was machine gun instructor with the 11th U. S. Cavalry and judge advocate of the general courts martial at Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia from 1917 to 1919.

Major changes in the education of the deaf in North Carolina during Dr. Rankin's superintendency have been the lowering of the entrance age and expansion of vocational training.

BEN HOFFMEYER ELECTED SUPERINTENDENT

Ben E. Hoffmeyer was elected the third superintendent of the North Carolina School for the Deaf. The Institution was founded in 1894. Mr. Hoffmeyer has been connected with the school for nine years as principal.

The new superintendent, a 40-year-old Missourian resolved at the age of 12 to become an educator for the deaf. Having two deaf brothers his interest in the education of the deaf started very early. His home was in the same town as the Missouri School for the Deaf and his brothers attended school there. He came here in the fall of 1947 as principal to head both the academic and vocational departments in the school's educational program. He was given the added duties of assistant superintendent in April 1954.

The new superintendent is one of the few educators of the deaf in the United States who has what is known as "dual training" for that profession.

Mr. Hoffmeyer received two years training at Washington University in St. Louis in the pure oral method of teaching the deaf, in which the manual alphabet and sign language are not used.

Later he took a year's work at Gallaudet College in the combined method which utilized both the oral and the manual means of instruction.

Mr. Hoffmeyer was graduated from Washington University at St. Louis, Missouri in 1941, with a major in special education. He was a teacher in the South Carolina School for the Deaf at Spartanburg for two years before entering the Navy during World War II. He attended the Midshipman's school at Columbia University to receive his commission as an ensign in 1943. Most of his service in the Navy for a period of three years was spent aboard a destroyer in the Pacific, and he held the rank of full lieutenant when he was discharged.

Returning to teaching after the war, he taught for one year at the Missouri school at Fulton and then received a fellowship at Gallaudet College for graduate work, receiving a degree of master of arts in the spring of 1947.

Mr. Hoffmeyer married the former Miss Vera Beamer of Fulton, and they have three children—Denny, age 12; Gay seven; and Sherry, six.

Mr. Hoffmeyer is past president of the Morganton Kiwanis Club and he is a member of the board of deacons of the First Baptist church.

R. M. McADAMS ELECTED PRINCIPAL

Mr. R. M. McAdams who has been the vocational principal was elected principal to succeed Mr. Ben E. Hoffmeyer.

Mr. McAdams is one of the best qualified men in the profession for this important position. Mr. McAdams is already known to many of the staff. He was general shop instructor at the School in 1937-38 and 1938-39, and in addition acted as a supervisor of boys. At that time, Mr. McAdams also took his training to teach the Deaf at the School under Miss Enfield Joiner. This valuable classroom training will be of great value to his work in his new position.

In the fall of 1939 Mr. McAdams went to the South Carolina School for the Deaf as vocational principal, remaining for about three years. He also taught mathematics in the rotating department so he was connected with the Academic as well as the Vocational department.

Mr. McAdams entered the army in 1942 and remained until 1946. He saw considerable foreign service in the army, and attained the rank of Captain.

His first work upon return to the States was that of Training Specialist for the Veterans Administration for Disabled Veterans. This work involved counseling and guidance which will be very valuable in his work with the deaf. This is a phase of education which the school hopes to enrich and Mr. McAdams is fully qualified to set up a guidance and counseling program. He is a graduate of Clemson College.

He married Miss Jean Cecil, whose father was founder and owner of Cecil's Business College, and she, herself, was an instructor in that college prior to her marriage. The McAdams are Presbyterians. They have three children; Robert, age 7; John, age 4; and baby Margaret Helen, 2. In addition to their value at the School, this family will contribute much to the community of Morganton and to the deaf of North Carolina.

HOUSEHOLD LIFE

Household life for the deaf child is extremely important since, since ten months of each year is spent here for at least 12 years of a child's life. Social adjustment and social graces are learned in the dormitory. Personal health habits are also established in the dormitory.

The dormitory facilities for our primary and intermediate children are acceptable. The dormitory for our older children is both crowded, and in a poor state of repair. Funds are urgently needed for a boys' dormitory for older students to relieve the crowded conditions. The children are under the constant care of house parents. The right type of personnel to fill positions as house parents is very difficult to obtain. Long hours make this work unattractive to most qualified persons. A higher type person is required, since his or her influence on the deaf child is very great.

FARM

The Farm is under the management of Mr. Dan F. Cameron. The main goals of the farm are to provide milk and pork for the institution. An adequate supply of each has been available, and the farm has also furnished a good portion of the beef consumed at the School.

Farm policy is determined through Mr. O. B. Brown, Farm Management Specialist, of the Budget Bureau. Through Mr. Brown's and Mr. Cameron's management, the institution has an outstanding dairy herd which has provided it with a plentiful supply of milk.

LAUNDRY

The laundry serves all students and a part of the staff. It is managed by Mr. C. L. Street. Some student labor is used, and this is considered important, not only in reducing the cost of operation, but as a training feature.

Some up-to-date equipment is needed so that a larger volume of work can be handled with the same number of personnel.

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF PLANT

Our Engineer, Mr. Fred Rusmisell, is directly responsible for this phase of the institution. Renovation of the Power system which is being completed will add greatly to the efficiency of the plant.

Water shortage faces the institution, because the dam at the reservoir needs replacing. A condition existing in which many people have tapped the institution's water line is being worked out, and should help the water situation.

The steam plant has been surveyed by an engineering firm, and a new plant has been recommended, and it is being requested of the 1957 General Assembly.

DIETARY

An important part of life is the dietary department. It is the aim of this department "to serve both students and staff a well-balanced diet that will come within the budget, and to serve it in an appetizing manner and in a pleasant atmosphere." Because of the substantial increases granted for food in recent years by the Legislature it has been possible to serve a wider variety of wholesome food. These children, it should be noted, have nothing wrong with them whatever except a loss of hearing; they possess the ordinary child's capacity to play hard and eat prodigiously. Our head dietitian and her assistants are trained for their jobs. One of the finest things they have done is to gradually build a fine program to help boys and girls overcome food prejudices and to learn to eat a greater variety of good foods, and to maintain a pleasant atmosphere in our dining room.

HEALTH

Our School Infirmary is under the general supervision of Dr. James F. McGimsey, Jr., and in addition to Dr. McGimsey, Dr. Ralph Coffey is employed on a part-time basis as School Dentist. The School is also fortunate in having Dr. B. W. Armstrong of the Charlotte Eye, Ear, and Throat Hospital

as consulting Otologist. Dr. Armstrong examines the children early each school year, and follows through with treatments for certain individual cases. The School maintains an infirmary staff of one Registered Nurse and one Practical Nurse. All cases of sickness are sent to the infirmary where they are cared for under the direction of the School Physician.

All parents receive the following notice regarding medical care in a general letter sent to all parents each school year:

We have a school infirmary and care for minor sickness; there is no extra charge to parents for this service. Prescriptions, or specially prescribed drugs for any child must be paid for by parents. If it is necessary to send a child to the town hospital, parents must take care of his bills while there. In the future bills incurred because of injuries sustained while playing football or other games which necessitate special hospital, doctor's care or special drugs, etc. must be paid by parents. If you do not wish your child to play certain games, please advise the Superintendent in writing, otherwise he will not be barred from any school play or games.

If parents are financially unable to have all necessary dental work done for the child, or to have eyes examined and glasses fitted, they should contact the County Health Department and ask for aid. Keep in mind we have neither funds nor facilities to have dental work done here nor glasses fitted. *Teeth must be in good condition and a certificate so stating sent to us before children come to school. Glasses must be fitted if needed and a certificate from examiner sent to us before children come to school.*

Report of the Business Manager

Summary Statement of State Appropriated Fund Biennium 1954-56

	1954-55	1955-56
Maintenance:		
Appropriation		
Maintenance and Operation	\$619,858.00	\$639,601.00
Additions and Betterments	45,361.00	37,561.00
Institutional Receipts	10,006.44	22,777.51
Total Availability	\$675,225.44	\$699,939.51

Expenditures:

Maintenance and Operation	\$631,963.86	\$657,263.04
Additions and Betterments	34,108.40	22,990.74
Total Expenditures	\$666,072.26	\$680,253.78
Unexpended Balance	9,153.18	19,685.73
Transferred to 1956-57 for Uncom- pleted Projects		14,402.24
Net Unexpended	9,153.18	5,283.49

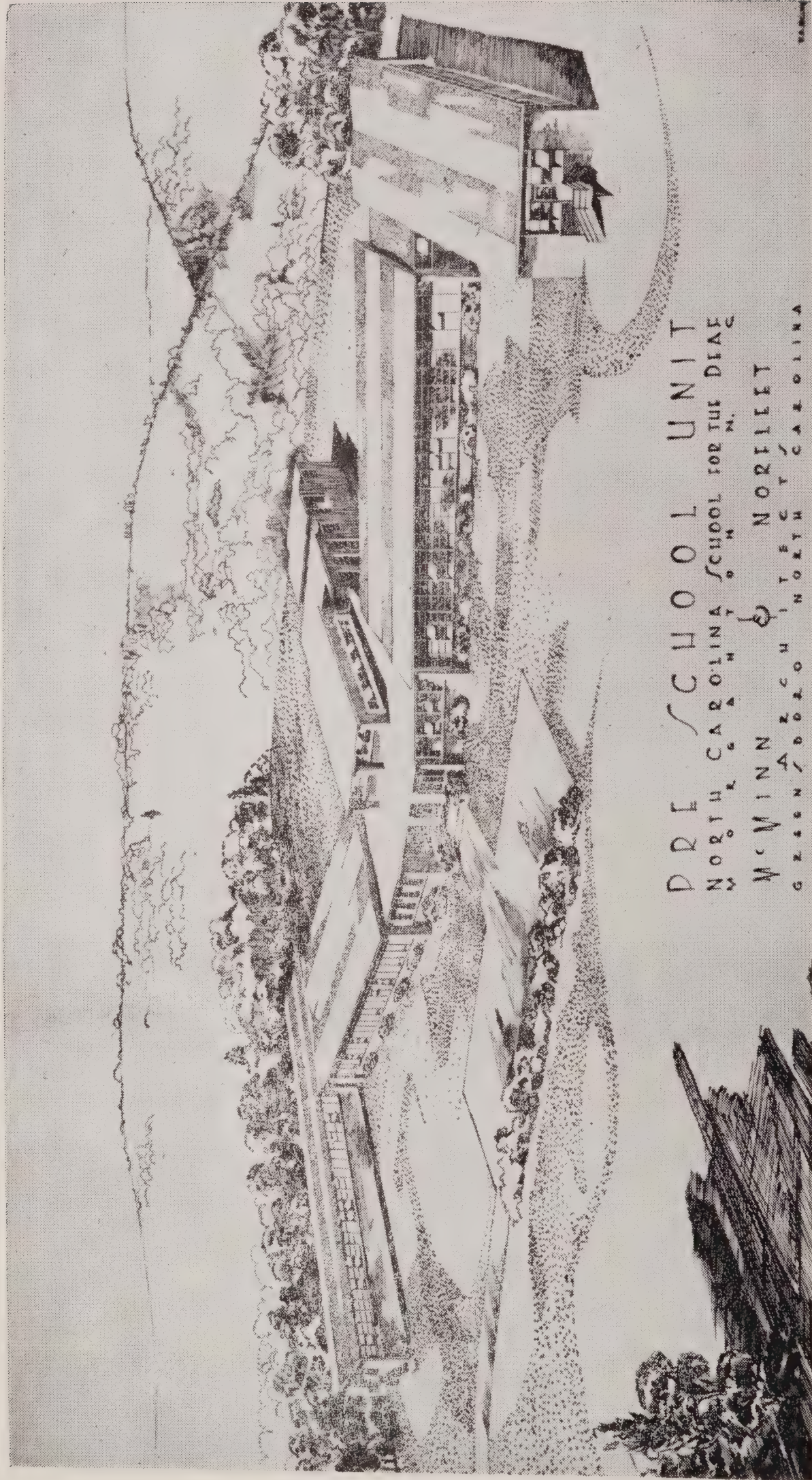
Permanent Improvement:

Unexpended Balance		
Appropriation, Code 1432, Renovation of Goodwin Hall	\$ 94,500.00	\$ 6,254.79
Unexpended Balance, Various	71,026.49	34,952.48
	\$165,526.49	\$ 41,207.27
Receipt NCSD Alumni Association		1,000.00
Total Available	\$165,526.49	\$ 42,207.27

Expenditures:

Code 1432, Goodwin Hall	\$ 88,245.21	\$ 6,008.35
Various	36,074.01	22,275.21
	\$124,319.22	\$ 28,283.56
Unexpended Balance, June 30th	\$ 41,207.27	\$ 13,923.71

PICTORIAL SECTION



DRE SCHOOL UNIT
NORTH CAROLINA SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF
MCMINN NORFOLK
GREENSBORO NORTH CAROLINA

An architect's sketch of the new primary unit completed for the 1954 school year. This unit provides dormitories, classrooms and eating facilities for one hundred children. The newest methods of instruction are being used.



FIVE-YEAR OLDS GETTING THEIR FIRST FORMAL LESSON IN LIPREADING.

Language development begins the very first day. The child's daily experiences are put into language as soon as possible. Voice building exercises are utilized to get speech started early.



BEGINNING SPEECH EXERCISES. The deaf child has to feel speech and try to imitate sounds made by the teacher.



ACTIVITY PERIOD—A teacher in training supervising the activity period. Sense training is emphasized which leads to reading readiness.



PLAY TIME IS ENJOYED FOR A VARIED PROGRAM is carried out to keep the children happy and contented.



A DEAF CHILD PUTTING LEARNED LANGUAGE INTO SPEECH. Language is the most important subject in the education of the deaf. Speech and Lipreading are tools to transmit and receive language. The action in the picture shows use of auditory training (use of hearing aids), lipreading, speech and language development.



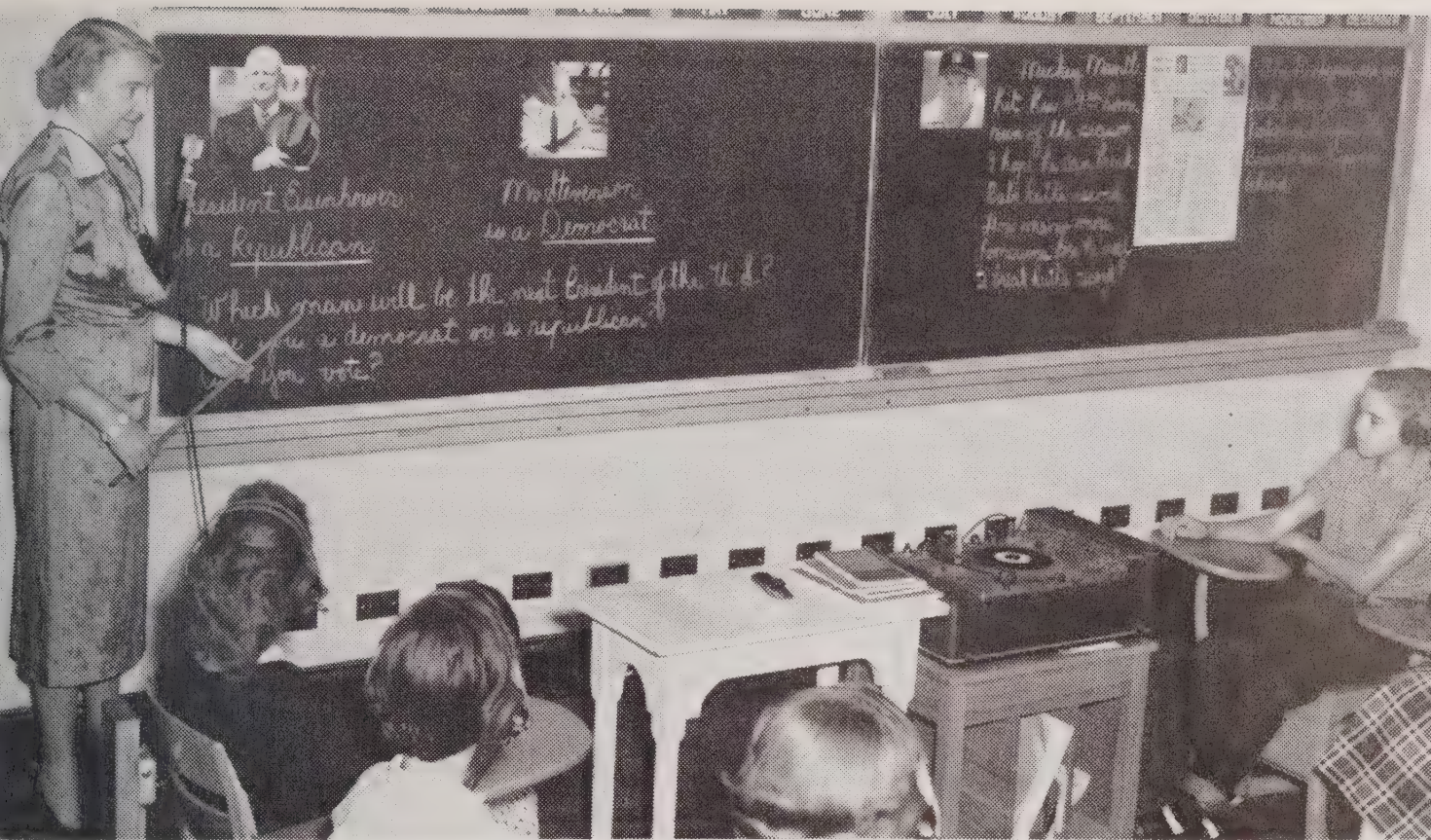
AFTER FOUR YEARS IN SCHOOL the deaf generally has enough speech and lipreading to communicate orally with those around him.



DORMITORY LIFE HAS MANY HAPPY MOMENTS. Close friendships are built up among the students. Parties, movies, athletic contests, all help make school life wholesome. This is their home ten months each year. They have two months summer vacation. Children also may go home on scheduled going home weekends, Christmas and Easter.



TEACHING SELF RELIANCE BEGINS EARLY. These five-year olds are making their beds and hanging up their clothes.



A SIXTH GRADE HAVING A LESSON IN CIVICS AND CURRENT EVENTS. Remnants of hearing are put to use by having powerful group hearing aids. Hearing aids are invaluable assistance in speech and lipreading.



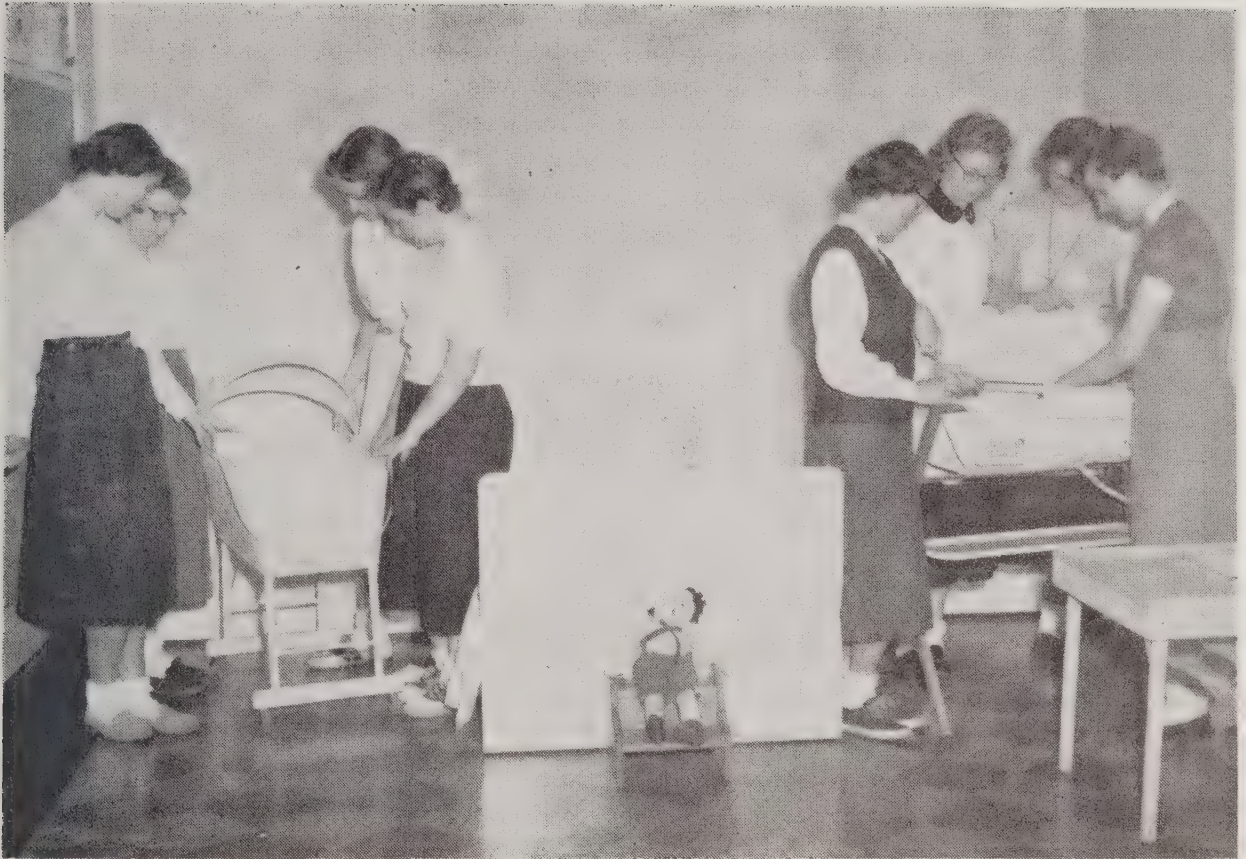
THE HIGH SCHOOL AGE STUDENTS HAVE A HEAVY SCHEDULE which includes five hours of academic work and two hours of vocational training daily. They have proms, classbooks, a Senior trip, a Junior-Senior banquet, and all the activities enjoyed by the normal high school students.



HANDICRAFTS FOR GIRLS. This develops finger dexterity and develop creative abilities.



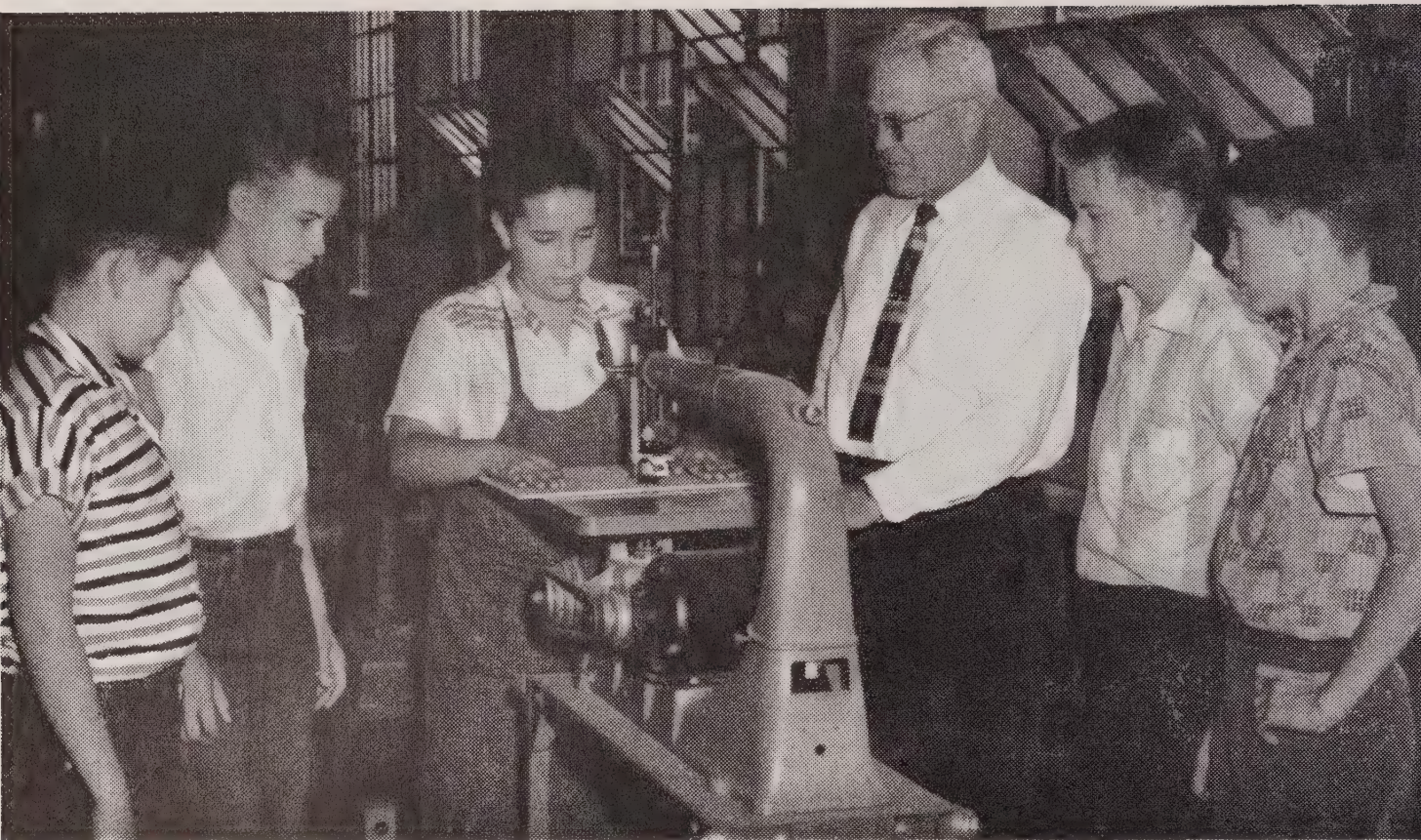
THE DEAF MAKE GOOD DRIVERS for they use their eyes and stay alert.



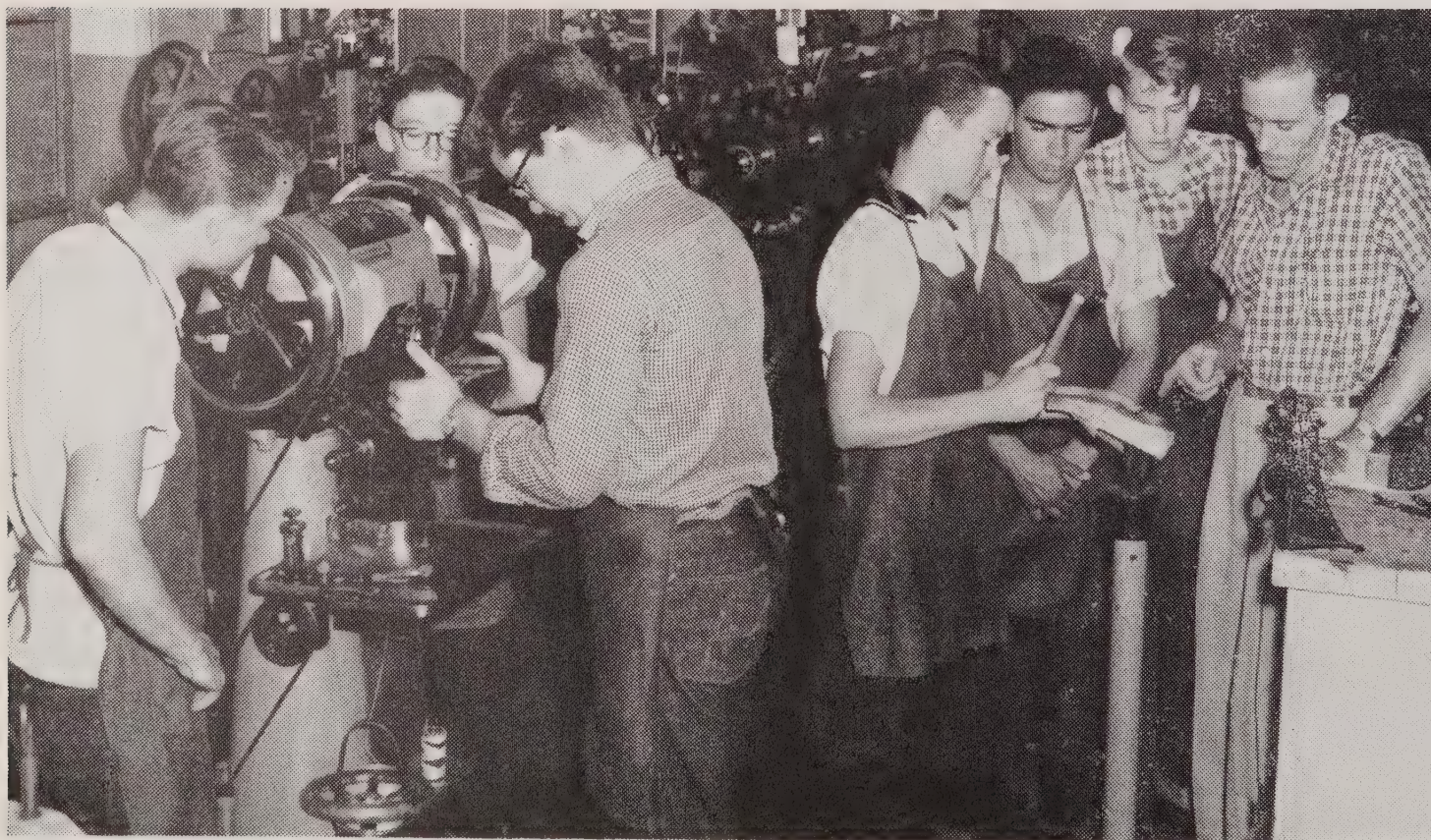
CHILD CARE: Since about 85% of the students marry and rear families this instruction is very helpful. Deafness prevents them from getting much of this information through the ear so that formal specific instruction is necessary.



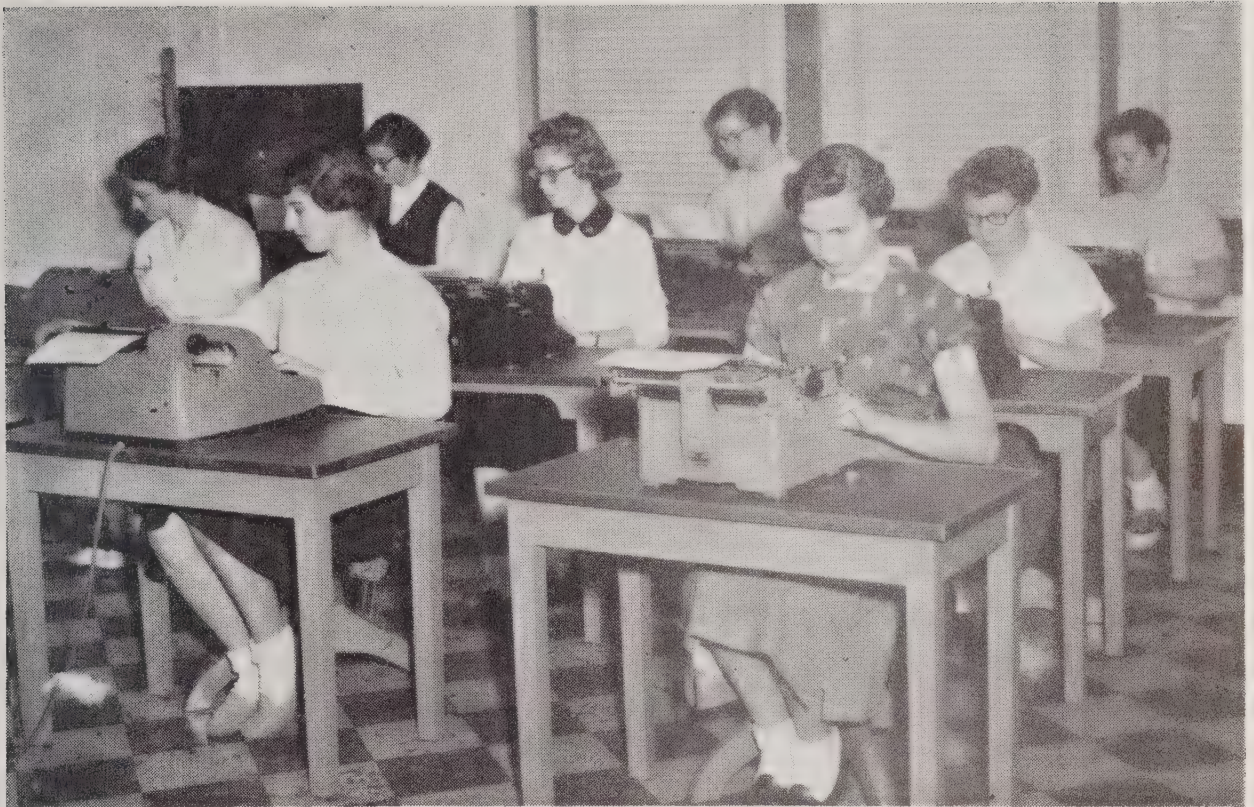
COOKERY: All girls have cooking. Food budgeting and home management are taught in this department. Table manners and social graces are also developed.



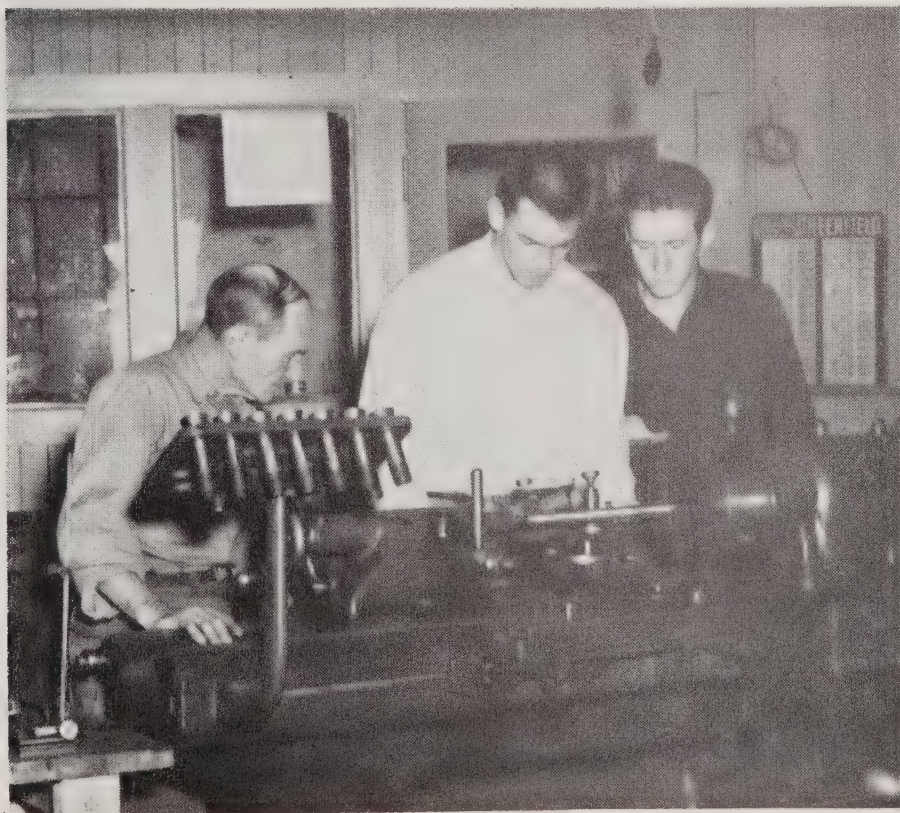
VOCATIONAL TRAINING BEGINS EARLY. These 12-year-old boys are getting their first experience in woodwork.



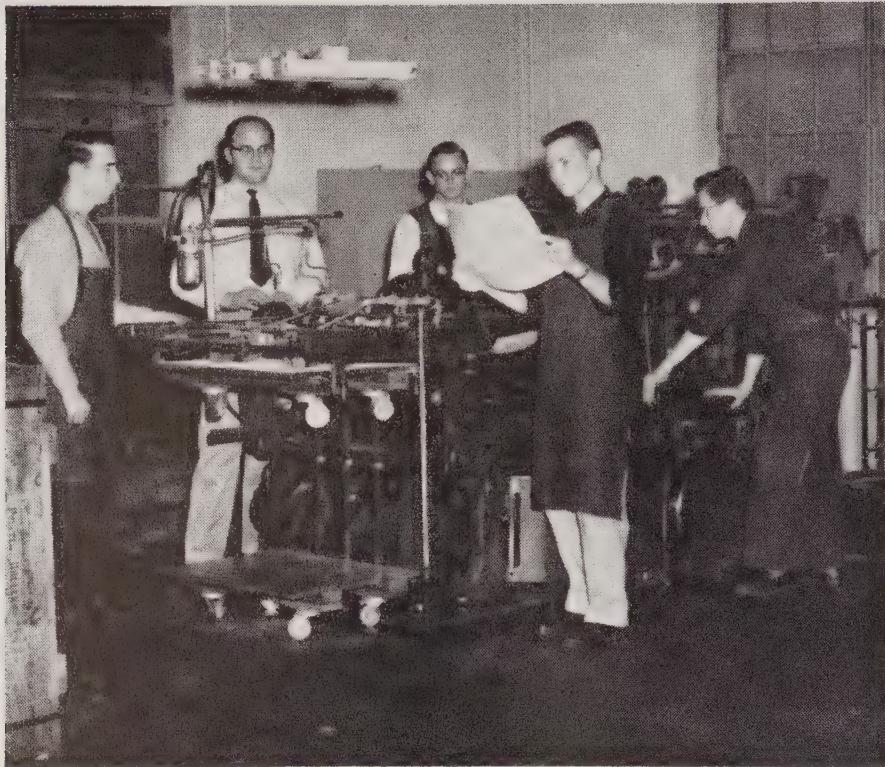
VOCATIONAL TRAINING IS AN IMPORTANT PART OF THE SCHOOL PROGRAM. The adult deaf are, with few exceptions, economically independent, because they receive vocational training, and academic training at a special school equipped to educate the deaf.



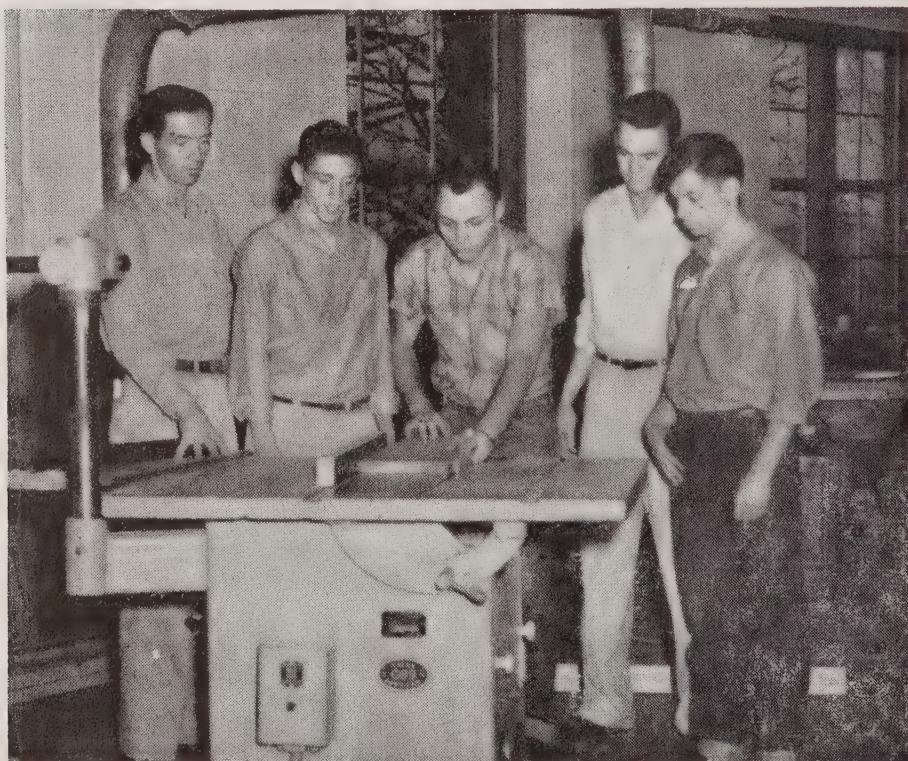
BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION: This includes the fundamentals of filing, bookkeeping, typing, duplicating and key punch machine operation. The deaf can fill satisfactorily many positions in offices.



MACHINE SHOP: The students receive fundamentals in machine work, wrought iron and welding. Several of our graduates have good jobs in the auto and aircraft industry.



PRINTING: Printing is the most popular of all trades taught at the School. Job openings are numerous and the pay is good. Printing requires good language and an alert mind.



WOODWORKING: Due to the large furniture industry in North Carolina many deaf persons are employed in the woodworking industry. A very complete course is offered.

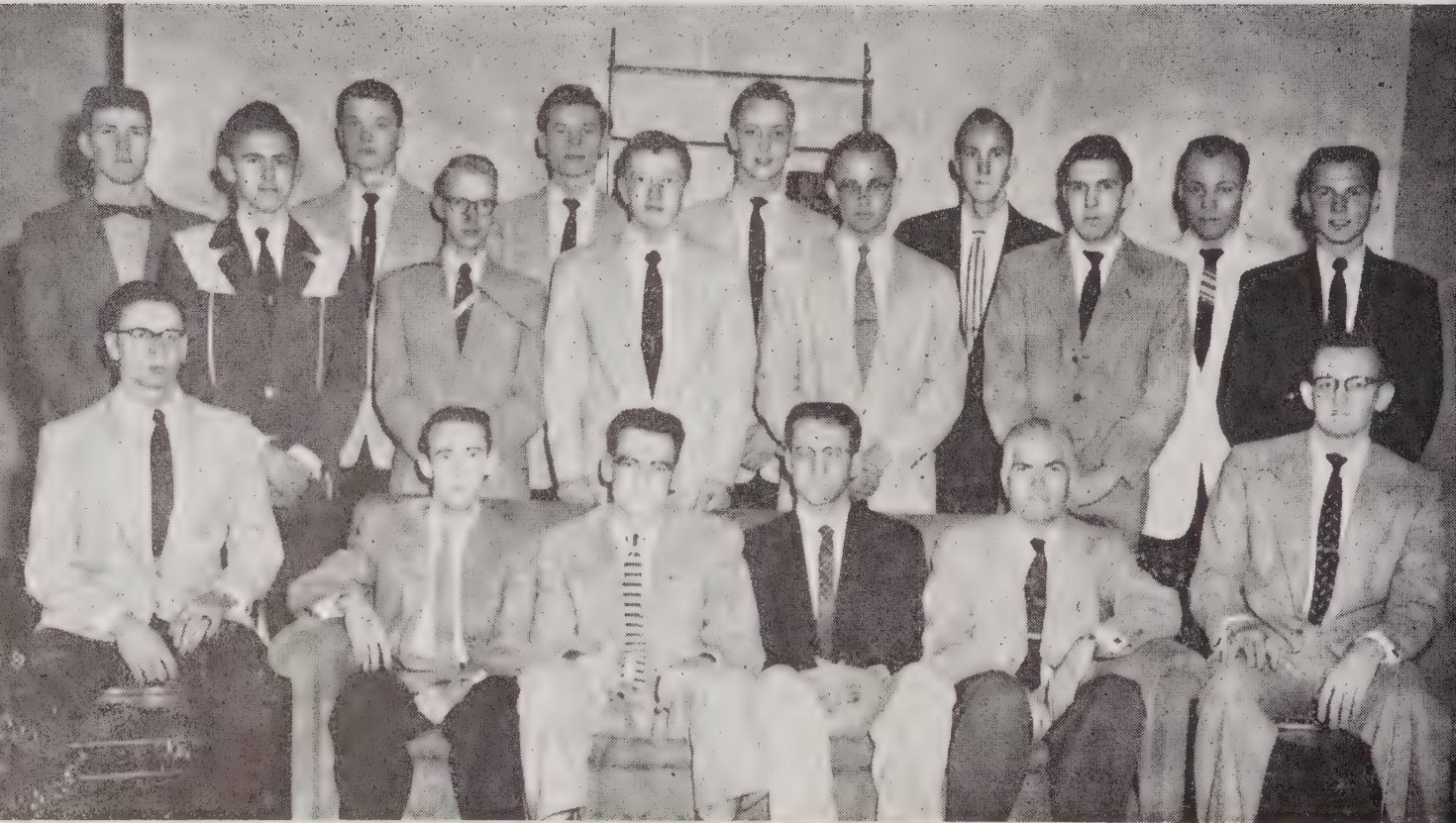


CAMPUS LIFE: Through the Student Organizations, students are given an opportunity to participate in democratic living. At times this democratic living takes the form of "shouting for our side."



BOY SCOUTS: The N. C. School for the Deaf Troop, Number 3, has always been a large and outstanding troop in the Piedmont Boy Scout Council; the fact that its members and Scoutmaster are deaf has not lessened in any way their achievement. It has always been one of the most active organizations on the campus. Many deaf boys achieve the coveted Eagle Rank. Through this organization boys learn continuously to take care of themselves and be of assistance to others. The whole aim of this organization is the building of strong character which is almost daily reflected in its wholesome influence while boys are in school.

Sterling Honor Society

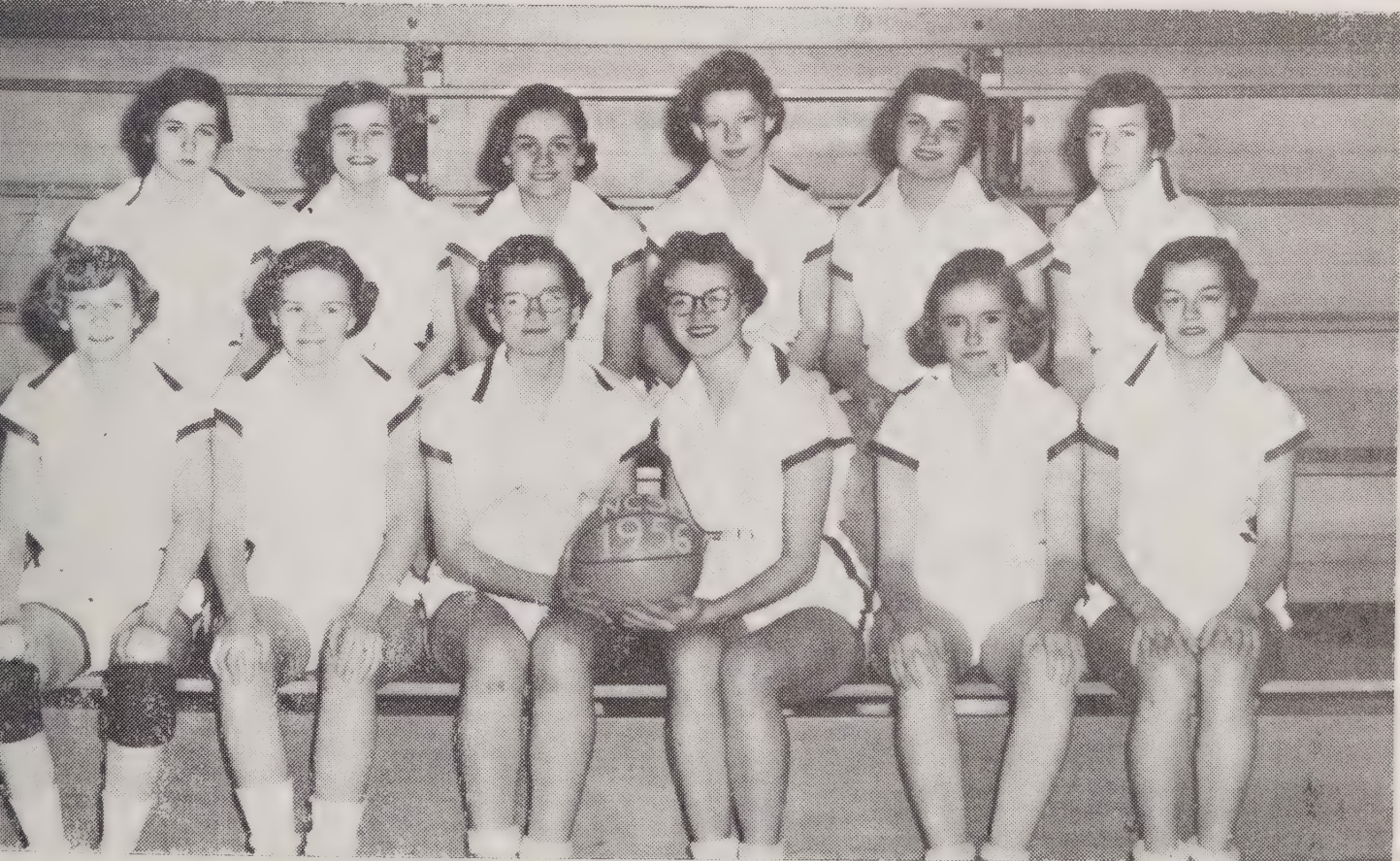
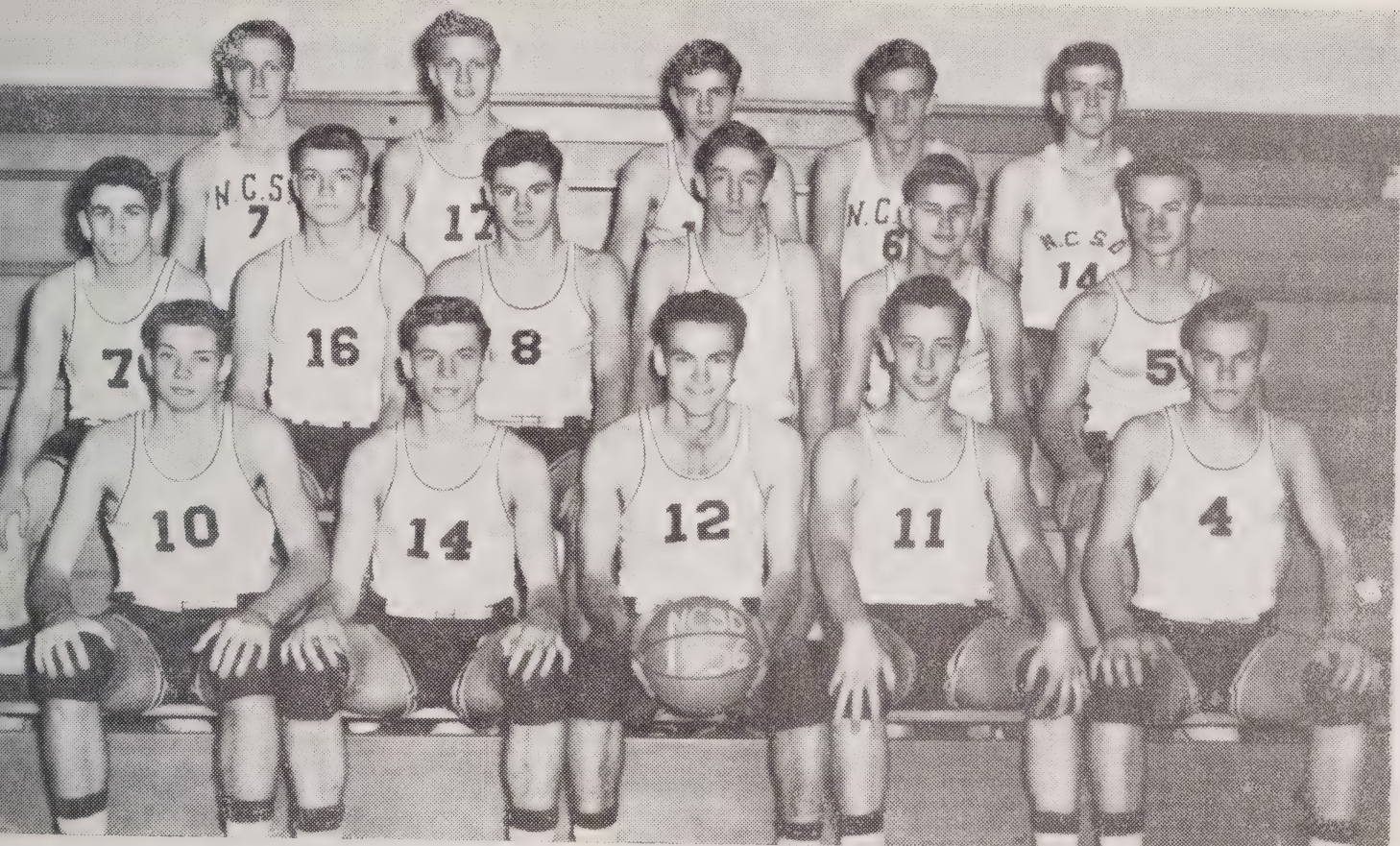


Fepha Honor Society



HONOR SOCIETIES: Boys and girls have their separate Honor Societies. These Societies are under a Faculty Committee. The standards are so high that it is difficult for a student to become a member, and after becoming a member, he or she, must live up to the highest possible standard in achievement and personality to retain membership.

Basketball Teams



HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION: The boys and girls in the North Carolina School for the Deaf are given both classroom instruction in Health and Physical Education and actual participation in a wide variety of sports.

Football Team



Wrestling Team



Roll of Graduating Students—1954-56

The following children either graduated, or withdrew from school:

Vocational Diplomas—June 11, 1955

Osa Lee Brooks

William Carrol Justus
James Elmore Swann, Jr.

Certificates of Attendance—June 11, 1955

William Richard Duggins
Peggy Ruth Pruitt

James Dean Rock
William Ray Wilkens

(There were no Academic Graduates for the school year 1954-55.)

The following students dropped out of school to go to work or for other reasons during the school year 1954-55:

Austin, Ulysses
Baker, Dorothy Jean
Blackwood, Howard
Brinegar, Chelsea
Caudill, Jeanetta Jo
Conrad, Richard Lee
Downes, Clara Agnes
Dye, Jean
English, Marie V.
Fowler, Roy
Graham, LeRoy
Greene, Jean
Ivey, Henry Kelly

Leonard, David
Marshall, Nancy Lee
McKenzie, Tony
Millsaps, Ruby Jean
Nickulus, Rose
Nickulus, Nicky
Powers, Larry
Richardson, Edna
Riddle, Nancy
Sexton, Norman
Stone, Raymond
Thacker, Dennis
West Pat

West, Linda

Teacher Training Graduates—June 11, 1955

Donald Franklin Bynum
Mrs. Iola C. Gaylord, B.S.

Mrs. Elizabeth C. Ervin, A.B.
Miss Mildred Elizabeth Laney

Mrs. Carrie Susan Walker Patton

Graduates—June 14, 1956

Bass, Owen Jr.
Beamon, Janice Annette
Beamon, Shirley Ann
Brinkley, Edna Maxine
Brower, Willie Ralph
Brown, Sally
Bulla, Nancy Carolyn
Carpenter, Howard Ray
Chambers, Clyde Haywood
DeVenny, Robert Towler
Hensley, Eugene
Hill, Donald Lee
Hines, Nora Virginia

James, Johnny Milton
Johnson, Faye Marie
Mann, Benny Suttle, Jr.
McBride, Ted Leo
Patterson, Glenn Hartwell
Reaves, Grady
Robinson, John Lewis
Smith, Gene Harold
Spencer, Herman Lee
Stephens, Billie Carter
Taylor, Bobby Dean
Weaver, Peggy Ann
West, Morris Trenton

Roy Curtis Yokeley, Jr.

The following Students dropped out of school to go to work or for other reasons during the school year 1955-56:

Adkins, Brenda K.	Farmer, Raymond D.
Archie, Carolyn	Ledford, Polly
Archie, Jerry	Lane, Louie
Anderson, Betty Sue	Miller, Brenda Hope
Andrews, Barbara	Privett, Barbara Ann
Bennett, Gail	Roberts, Ervin
Bryant, Harvey	Rose, Gene
Carelock, Joan	Rose, Dene
Clark, Patricia	Rochster, Joe
Crowder, Brenda	Stones, Donald S.
	Taylor, Bobby Leon

Teacher Training Graduates—June 14, 1956

Mrs. Anne C. Causby	Mrs. Nelda E. Maxwell
Mrs. Evelyn H. Copenhaver	Mrs. Anna L. S. Melton
Mrs. Hattie M. Dickens	Mrs. Mary Gordon Patton
Mrs. Martha C. Hord	Miss Helen M. Stinson
Miss Betty F. Ledford	Mrs. Joy Lynne Bell Thomas
	William Grady Thomas

Student Enrollment — Biennium 1954-56

ALAMANCE

Handy, Franklin D.
Burlington

Handy, Garland
Burlington

Leonard, Peggy
Glen Raven

Miller, Sandra L.
Graham

Shepherd, Wayne
Burlington

Schiretz, Frank
Burlington

Wyatt, Kirby
Burlington

ALEXANDER

Bebber, Phil
Taylorsville

May, Thomas
Taylorsville

ANSON

Ballard, Richard S.
Wadesboro

Caligan, Ellamary
Wadesboro

ASHE

Bledsoe, Billy R.
Fleetwood

Bledsoe, Martha J.
Fleetwood

Darnell, Jaunita
Glendale Springs

Eldridge, Shelby Jean
Grayson

Farmer, Raymond
Sturgills

AVERY

Arnett, Clayton
Banner Elk

Biddix, Allena Gail
Crossnore

BEAUFORT

Cooper, Cecil
Pike Road

Dunbar, Helen
Washington

Perry, Margaret T.
Williamston

BERTIE

Jernigan, Billy
Aulander

Pierce, Bertha
Merry Hill

BLADEN

Duncan, Gary Leroy
Bladenboro

Elkins, Peggy Lou
Bladenboro

Hines, Virginia
Bladenboro

Honeycutt, Sherry
Bladenboro

BUNCOMBE

Black, Bertha
Azalea

Biddix, Virginia Mae
Asheville

Bailey, Marie
Asheville

Fox, Wayne C.
Leicester

Lawrence, Glenda
Weaverville

Leonard, John Thomas
Weaverville

Lyda, Edith
Asheville

Moody, Carol
Candler

McAbee, Sandra
Asheville

Marlowe, Sue
Asheville

Phillips, Patsy
Asheville

Phillips, Nell
Asheville

Rice, Bobby Sue
West Asheville

Roberts, Erwin
Candler

Stamey, Brownie
Candler

Shepherd, Josephine
Swannanoa

Waldrup, Lucile
Weaverville

Williams, Sandra
Asheville

BRUNSWICK

Hickman, Tim
Winnabow

Hickman, Lana
Winnabow

BURKE

Adkins, Sylvia
Morganton

Ballew, Fred
Morganton

Brown, Georganne
Morganton

Clanton, Dee
Morganton

Cooper, Mary
Morganton

Crowder, Brenda
Morganton

Carpenter, Johnny Lee Morganton	Clark, Dianne Concord	Snow, Melvin Wayne Hickory
Gibbs, Betty Morganton	Carelock, Joan Kannapolis	CALDWELL
Gibbs, Lucile Morganton	Duffell, Martha Jean Kannapolis	Goble, R. J. Hudson
Helms, Linda E. Morganton	Furr, Peggy Jean Concord	Long, Carrie Lee Lenoir
Helms, Martha Ann Morganton	Gordon, Jewell Kannapolis	Moore, Claude Lenoir
Hensley, Eugene Morganton	Hegler, Larry Davidson	Pennell, John D. Lenoir
Joyce, Patricia Morganton	Lisenby, Ann Concord	Phillips, Peggy Lenoir
Johnston, Faye Morganton	Mullis, Barbara Lee Concord	Triplett, Larry Lenoir
Johnson, Joan C. Morganton	Moss, Shelba Blondell Kannapolis	CHATHAM
Leonard, Janice Morganton	Moss, Roger Dale Kannapolis	Neal, Ronald Pittsboro
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Meek, James Morganton	Scercy, Barbara Kannapolis	CHOWAN
Mercer, Wayne Morganton	CATAWBA	Keeter, Lewis Edenton
Mills, David Morganton	Greenwood, James Newton	CLAY
Midgette, Howard B. Morganton	Harvell, Alfred Newton	Reece, Mary Warne
Nance, Tommy Allen Morganton	Hill, Louis Lynn Hudson	Reece, Sue Warne
Setzer, Nancy Jane Morganton	Pitts, Patricia Hickory	CLEVELAND
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Faircloth, Douglas
Stedman

Faircloth, Pheobe
Stedman

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Horne, Virginia
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Hufham Dalton H.
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Jackson, James Jerry
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McQueen, Doris Faye
Fayetteville

Sullivan, Judy
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Hatteras

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Bennett, Gail
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Brinkley, Edna
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Caudle, Fred M.
Welcome

Caudle, Ned S.
Welcome

Caudle, Ruth
Welcome

Foust, Judy Carolyn
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Koontz, Larry T.
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Lexington

Tussey, Robert
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Miller, Edward Eugene
Advance

Miller, Gay Frances
Advance

Smoot, Gilbert
Mocksville

Wood, Charles
Advance

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Chinquapin

Miller, Jimmy
Beaulaville

Powell, Lois Ann
Wallace

Sanderson, Don
Wallace

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Durham

Holbrook, Jesse Clyde
Durham

Lindsey, Tommy
Durham

Reeder, Patricia
Durham

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Brawley, Peter
Winston-Salem

Cornett, Patricia
Winston-Salem

Hill, Donald
Winston-Salem

Mabe, Caroline
Walnut Cove

McInnis, Susan
Winston-Salem

Sloan, Mary
Winston-Salem

Stones, Donald
Winston-Salem

Vickers, Yvette
Winston-Salem

Woodle, Albert
Winston-Salem

GASTON

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Gastonia

Branch, Mike
Gaston

Cline, Dot
Dallas

Hope, Jack
Gaston

Helms, Jerry
Cherryville

London, Floyd
Belmont

McGee, Judith
Gastonia

Nixon, Nicky
Stanley

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Weaver, Peggy Ann
Bessemer City

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Chuites, Nancy E.
Butner

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Oxford

Ellis, Clement
Oxford

Jones, Robert
Oxford

Rogers, Doreen
Creedmoor

GREENE

Carraway, Mildred
Walstonburg

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Clewis, Barbara A.
Greensboro

Cole, Barbara
High Point

Clark, Mildred T.
High Point

Haithcock, Edgar L.
Brown Summit

Johnson, Judy Ann
Greensboro

Johnson, Tommy
Greensboro

Mendenhall, Lelia
High Point

Nurnberger, Vincent
Greensboro

Richard, Sharon
High Point

Small, Micky
High Point

Smith, Richard
Greensboro

Suggs, Mike
High Point

Stone, Rachel
Greensboro

Smith, Joyce
High Point

Vosloh, Mike
Greensboro

Wood, Judy
Jamestown

Winslow, Winford
Greensboro

HALIFAX

Harper, Hervy Jr.
Littleton

HARNETT

Autry, Robert
Dunn

Coker, Latricia Dale
Erwin

Core, Donald
Dunn

Dixon, Linda
Dunn

Hawley, Ralph
Dunn

Jackson, Tommy
Erwin

HAYWOOD

Arrington, Boyd
Clyde

Arrington, Shirley
Clyde

Pless, Chas. Ray
Waynesville

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Canton

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Hendersonville

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Raeford

English, Neill
Raeford

Pierce, Geo. F.
Raeford

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Mann, Benny
 Mooresville

Moose, Dessie
Statesville

Moose, James
Statesville

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Union Grove

Stewart, Donnie
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Ballance, Ann G.
Four Oaks

Langdon, Kay
Smithfield

Parrish, Catherine L.
Slema

Phillips, Barbara Ann
Kenly

Rose, Dene
Smithfield

Rose, Gene
Smithfield

Young, Ann
Benson

Benson
Young, Ellen

Young, J. D.
Benson

JACKSON

Smith, Gene
East LaPorte

LEE

Page, Robert
Sanford

Poole, Bobbie
Sanford

Spivey, Ronnie
Sanford

LENOIR

Davis, Edna
Kinston

Davis, Betty Inez
Kinston

Gardner, Gerry
Kinston

Gardner, Carolyn
Kinston

Hardison, Vernon
Kinston

Howard, Dorothy
Kinston

Murphy, William Ray
Pink Hill

Parris, Marion L.
Kinston

LINCOLN

Grigg, Dianne
Lincolnton

Hull, Gene
Lincolnton

Leatherman, Elwyn
Vale

Lutz, Margaret
Vale

Sain, Larry R.
Lincolnton

Whitesides, Martha
Lincolnton

Whitesides, Emily
Lincolnton

MADISON

Shook, Frederick Lee
Mars Hill

Woody, Margaret
Paint Rock

MARTIN

Crisp, Barbara
Robersonville

MECKLENBURG

Allen, Elizabeth
Charlotte

Brown, Franklin
Charlotte

Carpenter, Howard
Charlotte

Childers, Johnny
Charlotte

Childers, Russell R.
Charlotte

DeVenny, Robert
Charlotte

Deaves, Trudy
Charlotte

Freeman, Lorene
Matthews

Helms, Larry
Matthews

Houlbrook, Charles
Charlotte

Martin, Geraldine
Mt. Holly

McGee, Paulette
Huntersville

McCord, Sam
Charlotte

Medlin, Linda
Charlotte

Melton, Larry Parks
Charlotte

McGuirt, Ellen Kay
Charlotte

McDaniel, Judy Ann
Charlotte

Privette, Barbara Ann
Charlotte

Phillips, Jerry
Charlotte

Robinson, John
Charlotte

Spivey, Frances
Charlotte

Simmons, Faye
Charlotte

Shelton, Robert
Charlotte

Wright, Hal
Cornelius

Wright, Haywood
Cornelius

Wright, Terry
Cornelius

MCDOWELL

Cable, Glenda
Marion

MITCHELL

Autry, Peggy
Spruce Pine

Clark, Patricia Ann
Spruce Pine

Street, Wade
Bakersville

MONTGOMERY

Green, Peggy
Troy

Bruce, Bob Roger
Robbins

Kennedy, Marion
Pinehurst

McKenzie, Irwin
West End

Sanders, Linda Kay
Robbins

NASH

Daughtridge, Sylvia
Rocky Mount

Matthews, Webb
Rocky Mount

Smith, Rebecca
Rocky Mount

NEW HANOVER

Brower, Wille
Wilmington

Fowler, Roy
Leland

ONSLOW

Batchelor, Geraldine
Richlands

Dillon, Terrance
Jacksonville

Kellum, Johnny
Jacksonville

ORANGE

Cooke, Mike
Chapel Hill

PAMLICO

Ensley, Craig
Arapahpe

Lewis, Mildred
Lowland

PASQUOTANK

Umphlett, Dewey
Elizabeth City

White, Neia Carol
Elizabeth City

White, Herbert
Elizabeth City

PERSON

Briggs, Anna
Longhurst

PITT

Evans, Johnny Ray
Winterville

Harrell, Willie Jean
Fountain

James, Johnny
Grifton

Jones, Jimmy
Greenville

Jones, Marjorie Ruth
Greenville

Lockamy, Richard
Greenville

Lockamy, Ray G.
Greenville

Lockamy Russell
Greenville

Myers, Margaret Sue
Greenville

RANDOLPH

Bowman, Shirley Ann
Asheboro

Bulla, Nancy
Asheboro

Keeling, Mary Frances
Asheboro

Noah, Wayne
Cedar Falls

Wall, Harold C.
Trinity

RICHMOND

Gobble, Edward
Hamlet

ROBESON

Britt, Tommie
Lumberton

Locklear, Delton
Lumberton

Lowery, Valdine
Fairmont

Ludlum, Yvonne
Lumberton

Morgan, Barbara A.
Rowland

Morgan, Carolyn
Rowland

Oxendine, Barbara
Pembroke

Phipps, Elbert
Lumberton

Pittman, Johnny Carl
East Lumberton

Riddle, Knox
St. Pauls

West, Morris Trenton
Lumberton

ROCKINGHAM

Burrton, Reginald
Reidsville

Hailey, Phillip
Draper

Hall, Jimmy
Mayodan

Hall, Joey
Mayodan

Johnson, Theresa
Mayodan

Jones, John Jr.
Reidsville

RUTHERFORD

Beaver, Paul R.
Union Mills

Byers, James Bruce
Forest City

Duncan, Aaron
Rutherfordton

Mitchell, Jack
Forest City

Ruppe, Donald
Rutherfordton

Stroud, Billy
Ellenboro

Wood, Joseph
Forest City

ROWAN

Archie, Carolyn
China Grove

Benfield, Gary Wayne
Kannapolis

Cooley, Dianne
Salisbury

Hager, Jerry Donald
China Grove

Isenhour, Betty Jean
China Grove

Isenhour, Linda
China Grove

Medinger, Sylvia
Spencer

Stephens, Ruby
China Grove

SAMPSON

Crumpler, William
Salemberg

Gurganious, Dalton
Harrell's Store

Hawley, Tony
Dunn

Hall, Mary E.
Autryville

Rich, Johnny Ray
Garland

Smith, Edom T.
Roseboro

Tart, Vicky
Newton Grove

Williams, William
Godwin

SCOTLAND

Bass, Owen
Laurel Hill

STANLEY

Burleson, Judy Ann
Albemarle

Burris, Elton
Albemarle

Furr, Wayne
New London

Kirk, Guy
Albemarle

Little, Dona
Albemarle

STOKES

Adkins, Brenda K.
Belews Creek

Lewis, Pamela
Walnut Cove

Wright, Vergie
Pinnacle

SURRY

Billings, Stoney
Elkin

Hayes, Johnny
Elkin

McBride, Ted L.
Mount Airy

McKnight, Fredna
Mount Airy

Wolfe, J. W.
Dobson

Wolfe, Louise
Dobson

SWAIN

Crowe, Charles
Cherokee

Ledford, Polly
Cherokee

TRANSYLVANIA

Buchanan, Gladys
Brevard

Miller, Brenda Hope
Brevard

Searcy, Lorena
Pisgah Forest

Searcy, Richard
Pisgah Forest

Searcy, Roy William
Pisgah Forest

UNION

Price, Sam
Monroe

Stegall, Lanny
Marshville

Willimas, Sue
Monroe

VANCE

Patterson, Glenn
Henderson

WAKE

Duncan, Deanna
Raleigh

Duncan, Sandy C.
Raleigh

Duncan, William
Raleigh

Lewis, Robert
Raleigh

Morris, Joan A.
Raleigh

Nichols, W. H.
Raleigh

Pegram, Marie
Apex

Scarboro, Robert
Wendell

Scarboro, Mary E.
Wendell

Scarboro, Ann
Wendell

Seagroves, Margaret
Raleigh

Snakenburg, Kaye
Raleigh

Yokeley, Roy
Raleigh

WARREN

Mitchiner, Jack
Warrenton

WASHINTON

Williams, Katheryn
Roper

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Triplett

Miller, Johnny H.
Triplett

Taylor, Bobby D.
Deep Gap

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Thomas, Hazel Mae
% Watagua County

WAYNE

Herring, Emily Joyce
Mt. Olive

Lane, Louis
Mt. Olive

Power, Dianna
Goldsboro

Summerlin, Marie
Goldsboro

WILKES

Barnes, John T.
Boomer

Dancy, James Carl
Wilbar

Gray, Lee Ellen
Cycle

Johnson,, Archie
Wilkesboro

Johnson, Harold
Wilkesboro

Johnson, Rachel
Wilkesboro

Reeves, Grady
Wilkesboro

Triplett, Mike
Trap Hill

Yates, Darrell Thomas
North Wilkesboro

WILSON

Beamon, Janice
Elm City

Beamon, Shirley
Elm City

Dilda, Judy
Wilson

Rogers, Lois Yvonne
Saratoga

Williams, Charles Ray
Elm City

YADKIN

Blakley, Melvin
East Bend

YANCEY

Ballew, Louise
Burnsville

Boone, Douglas F.
Newdale

Fox, Homer
Burnsville

Ray, Barbara
Burnsville

Ray, Maurice
Burnsville

(Pupils whose parents
are members of armed
forces or who are tem-
porarily out of State.)

McDaniel, Lee
Fort Jackson, S. C.

Stucky, Pat
Portsmouth, Va.

Stucky, Ricky
Portsmouth, Va.

Stephens, Billy
South Norfolk, Va.

Williamson, Barney
Arlington, Va.

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Letter of Transmittal

His Excellency, Luther H. Hodges
Governor of North Carolina
Executive Chamber
Raleigh, North Carolina

Dear Sir:

The Board of Directors of the North Carolina School for the Deaf has the honor to transmit to your Excellency its thirty-fourth biennial report, and respectfully asks your careful examination of the condition, progress and needs of the School.

The members of the Board wish to express their appreciation for your active interest in, and your courteous consideration of, the needs of the School.

Respectfully submitted,
Wm. S. McCord
Secretary

July 1, 1958

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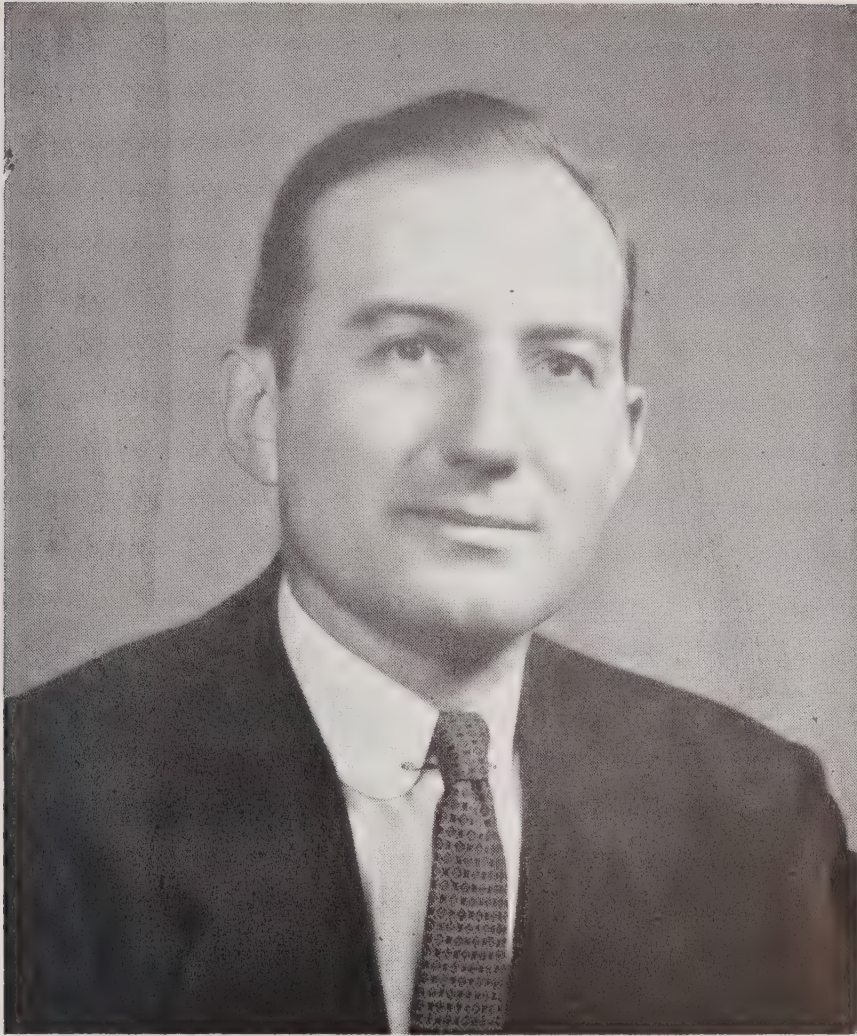
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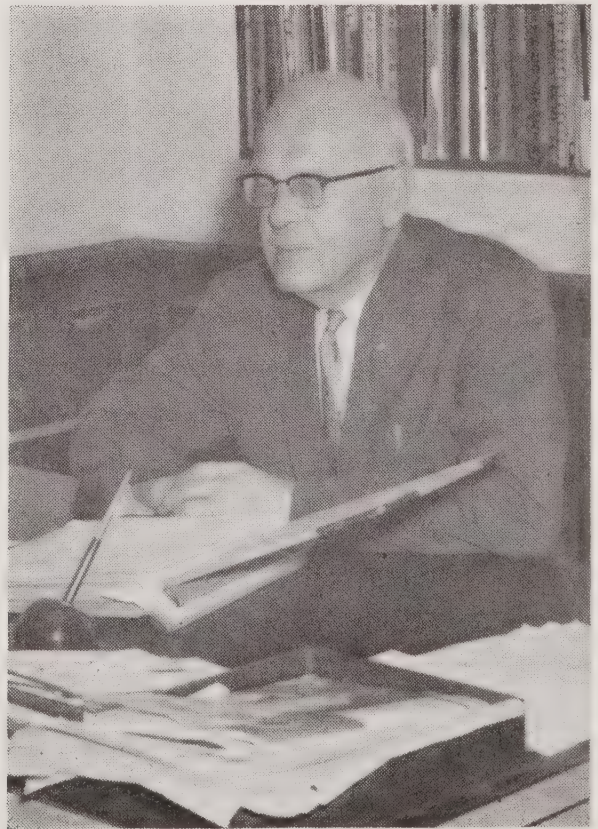
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Letter of Transmittal

Members of the Board:

It is my duty and privilege to submit to you a report on the operation of the School for the years 1956-58. There are two significant features of this report:

First, one report states conditions and needs as clearly as possible.

Second, we have again included pictures of School Life. We feel these will give everybody a better understanding of the work of the School.

Respectfully submitted,

Ben E. Hoffmeyer, *Superintendent*

OUR SYMBOL OF LIFE: THE CLOCK TOWER
*has been there since the day the School opened on
"Vine Hill"; its clock faces point to the next thing
to be done; its beautiful symmetry is a memory
that goes with us wherever we go.*



That others may see.
Tower, straight and tall
Our symbol be
Of lives strong, straight and true

General Information

The North Carolina School for the Deaf is a free public school operated for the benefit of those children who are handicapped by loss of hearing. The children are admitted to the school under the provisions of State Law.

It is the aim of the School to attain the following objectives:

1. To seek in every way to help each deaf child become a well-rounded individual who fits into American community life; a person alert to life about him, informed about local, national and world affairs, capable of independent thinking and action with regard to these, socially adjusted in home and community, reverent toward those things held sacred by us as a people, and loyal to State and Nation.
2. To so equip each child vocationally that he or she may be economically a self-sustaining person; to develop as far as possible those skills which will enable the individual to secure and hold the best possible job commensurate with his abilities.
3. To develop in each child, as far as possible, a strong healthy body, intelligent attitudes toward health and wholesome health habits.
4. To secure for each child, as far as possible, a formal education through twelve grades.
5. To develop in each child full capacity in speech-reading.
6. To develop in each child, as far as possible, capacity to use normal speech.

If children are physically strong and well developed, they should enter school as early as possible; that is, as soon as they appear to be sufficiently matured to live under the conditions of dormitory life at the School. Beginning in the fall of 1954 children were entered at the age of five years. We have a compulsory attendance law in North Carolina. General Statutes, 115-130, which requires that the parents of every "deaf child" of school age place it in school. The interpretation put upon the term "deaf child" for purpose of determining whether a child shall be admitted to this School or shall remain in attendance at a hearing school is whether, in the opinion of his teachers in the hearing school, he can do satisfactory work there; if his work is unsatisfactory, and the

cause appears to be loss of hearing, the principal of the hearing school may dismiss him from that school; the parents of such a child must then, under Law, enter him in the School for the Deaf immediately.

Teaching the deaf child is considered to be one of the most difficult educational processes known. For a normal child, approximately eighty percent of all knowledge is assimilated through the ear up to the age of 12 years. With this in mind, it is easy to realize the tremendous educational handicap of deafness. A full year of special training is necessary for all teachers for developing speech and language in the deaf child. It requires very special techniques and procedures.

The North Carolina School for the Deaf has a Training Program for Teachers, and as a result has a full staff of trained teachers.

Custodial care of deaf children is made more difficult because a house parent cannot communicate with a group of deaf children through auditory, verbal communication. A visual or physical contact must be made before communication can be made. This fact makes caring for the deaf a heavy responsibility. It requires a dedicated, energetic person who is alert to dangers, for he must furnish the hearing for the whole group. Great care is taken in selecting a house parent.

There is a school fee of \$20.00 per year to cover school supplies, clothing repair and other incidental expenses. The parents must also furnish clothes and transportation. If parents are in indigent circumstances, they may apply to the County Department of Public Welfare.

The severely mentally retarded cannot be admitted; the school program is for only the educable. The School officials determine whether they consider a child educable. This is usually done by a temporary trial enrollment.

The School does not have a field agent, so field work is done by the State Department of Public Welfare.

Staff and Faculty — Biennium 1956-58

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Mrs. Ruth Y. Silver	Girls' Head Counselor, Rankin Hall
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C. L. Street	Head, Laundry Department

Superintendent's Report

As Superintendent of the North Carolina School for the Deaf, I herewith submit the Thirty-fourth Biennial Report for this School which was established in 1894 at Morganton.

This thirty-fourth biennium has been marked by a steady increase in academic achievement. The Graduating Class of 1958 reached the highest academic rating in the history of the school. A general teacher improvement program has been underway, and seems to be resulting in accelerated achievement of the pupils. Teaching the deaf requires more professional skills than any other type of teaching except that of teaching the child who is both deaf and blind.

We are one of the very few schools for the deaf in the United States who has a full staff of trained teachers of the deaf. This is possible through a Teacher Training Program which is nationally accredited, and which is affiliated with Appalachian State Teachers College and Lenoir Rhyne College.

Even though the school rates 38th in the nation as far as teacher pay is concerned, it has been able to supply its teacher needs due to this Teacher Training Program.

Our vocational program is in need of some modernization, especially in the print shop. Two new methods of printing are in wide use, and we do not have the equipment for these. One is the teletype attachment which operates on the linotype machine. The second type of printing is the off-set method. We are requesting of the 1959 Legislature, a teletype attachment for our print shop. We are also in need of a Ludlow machine which sets most of the large type for head lines and school uses—flash cards and charts.

Printing is our most popular vocation, and is a vocation in which many deaf are excelling.

We have added power sewing machine operation, and hosiery looping to our girls' vocational shop training program during this last biennium. These two vocation are suited to the average, and below average student.

During this biennium the enrollment had to be controlled, because we are operating at capacity. The Boys' New Dormitory soon to be constructed will not be ready for occupancy until the fall of 1959.

Our instructional program is strong and rates well nationally.

Our household problems are serious in the older age groups. Trained houseparents, or counselors, especially men, are nearly impossible to obtain at the salary paid, and hours per week required. This is a position which calls for a very high type of person, and for one who is single for he must live in the building. They are required to be in direct supervising of the children 55 hours a week and are required to be in the building throughout the night. We are asking for additional personnel to improve this situation. This request is to include both men and women counselors, because the conditions are indential in both cases.

The school hospital is understaffed to a serious degree. This is another area where personnel have to work very long hours. No night nurse is provided, and this means 24-hour responsibility for only two nurses now employed. Additional personnel is seriously needed and is being requested.

If the household and hospital are granted requested personnel to bring efficient operation and working conditions to a reasonable level, the school can be classified as excellent, and this is possible at a per-capita cost that is far below the national average.

I consider it an honor to serve the state and the deaf of North Carolina.

Respectfully submitted,

Ben E. Hoffmeyer, *Superintendent*

July 1, 1958

HOUSEHOLD LIFE

Household life is probably the area where our institution is the weakest. A tremendous effort is being made to bring our sub-standard living facilities up to an acceptable standard. The Boys' New Dormitory, scheduled to be completed will help the situation greatly. The Main Building, which will be an all girls' dormitory, has major repairs necessary before it can be considered adequate.

Recruiting of suitable house parents is the most difficult problem. The low pay and long hours discourage the high type personnel required for this very important position. An on the job training program is being planned, and will be instituted in the fall of 1958. A deaf child is greatly influenced by the house parent, so this must be an area where our efforts are concentrated in the future.

HEALTH

Our School Infirmary is under the general supervision of Dr. William H. Patton, a pediatrician. He is ably assisted by his associate, Dr. H. C. Hemmings. Dr. Patton has suggested many improvements which have been carried out.

More rooms on the first floor are needed. As the Infirmary is now designed only 9 patients can be housed on the first floor. Due to understaffing it is very difficult to care for students on the second floor.

Two wings are being requested of the 1959 General Assembly to give us a capacity of 32 children on the first floor. The second floor will then be available for capacity loads which occur during epidemics.

Two additional persons are necessary to give adequate care to the children. At present there is no janitor, or maid, and no night nurse. A maid and night nurse are being requested to enable the school to give the sick the care necessary.

Dr. Ralph Coffey is the School Dentist, and takes care of emergency work for the children on certain days at the Infirmary. He is employed only on a part-time basis. Dr. B. W.

Armstrong of the Charlotte Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital is employed as consulting Otologist, and makes an annual visit examining children early in the school year. Every effort is then made to carry out his recommendations on individual cases.

All parents receive the following notice regarding medical care in a general letter sent to them by the Superintendent each year:

We have a school infirmary and care for minor sickness; there is no extra charge to parents for this service. Prescriptions or specially prescribed drugs must be paid for by parents. If it is necessary to send a child to the town hospital, parents must take care of his bills while there. Bills incurred because of injuries sustained while playing football, or other games which necessitate special hospital, doctor's care or special drugs, etc., must be paid by parents. If you do not wish your child to play certain games, please advise the Superintendent in writing, otherwise he will not be barred from any school play or games.

If parents are financially unable to have all necessary dental work done for the child, to have eyes examined and glasses fitted, if needed, they ask for aid. Keep in mind we have neither funds, or facilities to have dental work done here, or have glasses fitted. These things must be done before the child comes to school.

DIETARY

An important part of life is the dietary department. It is the aim of this department "to serve both students and staff a well-balanced diet that will come within the budget, and to serve it in an appetizing manner and in a pleasant atmosphere." Because of the substantial increases granted for food in recent years by the Legislature it has been possible to serve a wider variety of wholesome food. These children, it should be noted, have nothing wrong with them whatever except a loss of hearing; they possess the ordinary child's capacity to play hard and eat prodigiously. Our head dietitian and her assistants are trained for their jobs. One of the finest things they have done is to gradually build a fine program to help boys and girls overcome food prejudices and to learn to eat a greater variety of good foods, and to maintain a pleasant atmosphere in our dining room.

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF PLANT

Our Engineer, Mr. Fred Rusmisell, is directly responsible for this phase of operation of the school. The 1957 General Assembly appropriated \$101,000 for two new boilers which are installed, and should meet our needs for many years.

The School had a water shortage and the General Assembly appropriated funds to enlarge and improve the Mountain Intake Reservoir. This improvement will provide adequate water for future needs.

The general maintenance is improving and extensive campus improvements have been made. Due to the many old buildings maintenance requires a large amount of funds and labor.

FARM

The Farm is under the management of Mr. Dan F. Cameron. The main goals of the farm are to provide milk and pork for the institution. An adequate supply of each has been available, and the farm has also furnished a good portion of the beef consumed at the School.

Farm policy is determined through Mr. O. B. Brown, Farm Management Specialist, of the Budget Bureau. Through Mr. Brown's and Mr. Cameron's management, the institution has an outstanding dairy herd which has provided it with a plentiful supply of milk.

LAUNDRY

The laundry serves all students and a part of the staff. It is managed by Mr. C. L. Street. Some student labor is used, and this is considered important, not only in reducing the cost of operation, but as a training feature.

Some up-to-date equipment is needed so that a larger volume of work can be handled with the same number of personnel.

Report of the Business Manager

Summary Statement of State Appropriated Fund Biennium 1956-58

	1956-57	1957-58
Maintenance:		
Appropriation		
Maintenance and Operation	\$658,023.84	\$769,587.00
Additions and Betterments	35,902.00	15,677.00
Institutional Receipts	14,404.91	59,969.39
Total Availability	<u>\$708,330.75</u>	<u>\$845,233.39</u>

Expenditures:

Maintenance and Operation	\$650,060.86	\$813,463.24
Additions and Betterments	27,653.55	11,525.80
Total Expenditures	<u>\$677,714.41</u>	<u>\$824,989.04</u>
Unexpended Balance	30,616.34	20,244.35
Transfer to 1957-58	8,246.00	
Transfer to 1958-59		8,700.00
Net Unexpended	22,370.34	11,544.35

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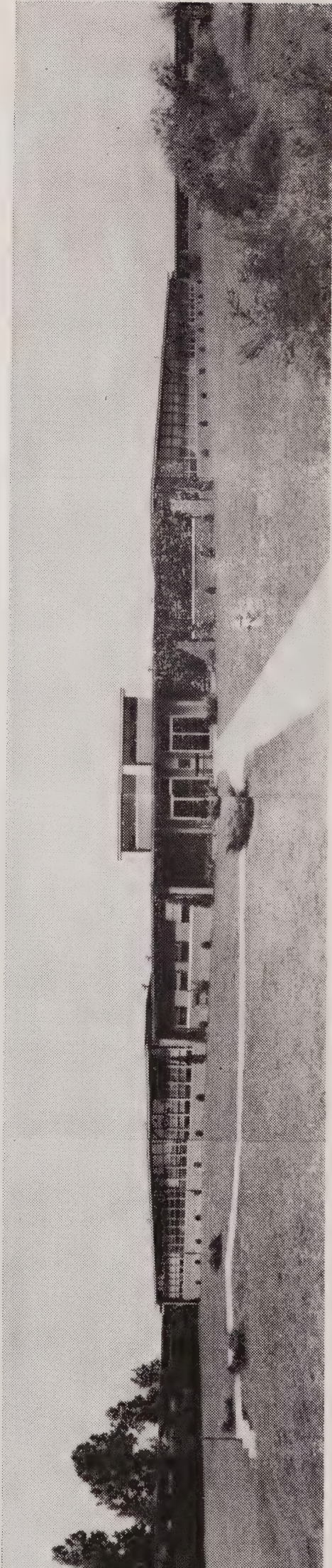
Permanent Improvement:

Unexpended Balance		
Appropriation Codes 1929-1953	\$ 13,206.71	\$ 10,222.33
Appropriation Codes 1957	695,917.00	695,917.00
Total Availability	<u>\$709,123.71</u>	<u>\$706,139.33</u>

Expenditures:

All Codes	\$ 2,984.38	\$182,576.56
Unexpended Balance, June 30	\$706,139.33	\$523,562.77

PICTORIAL SECTION



The new primary unit completed for the 1954 school year. This unit provides dormitories, classrooms and eating facilities for one hundred children. The newest methods of instruction are being used.



ACTIVITY AND PLAY PERIODS break up the routine at the school. There are few dull moments for playmates and friends are many.



DORMITORY LIFE — A deaf child away from home needs and receives love and friendship. House parents are as important as the teachers for many lessons of life are learned through them.



EXCESS ENERGY needs to be worked off in play ground activity. Deaf children are very normal, except that they live in a noiseless world.



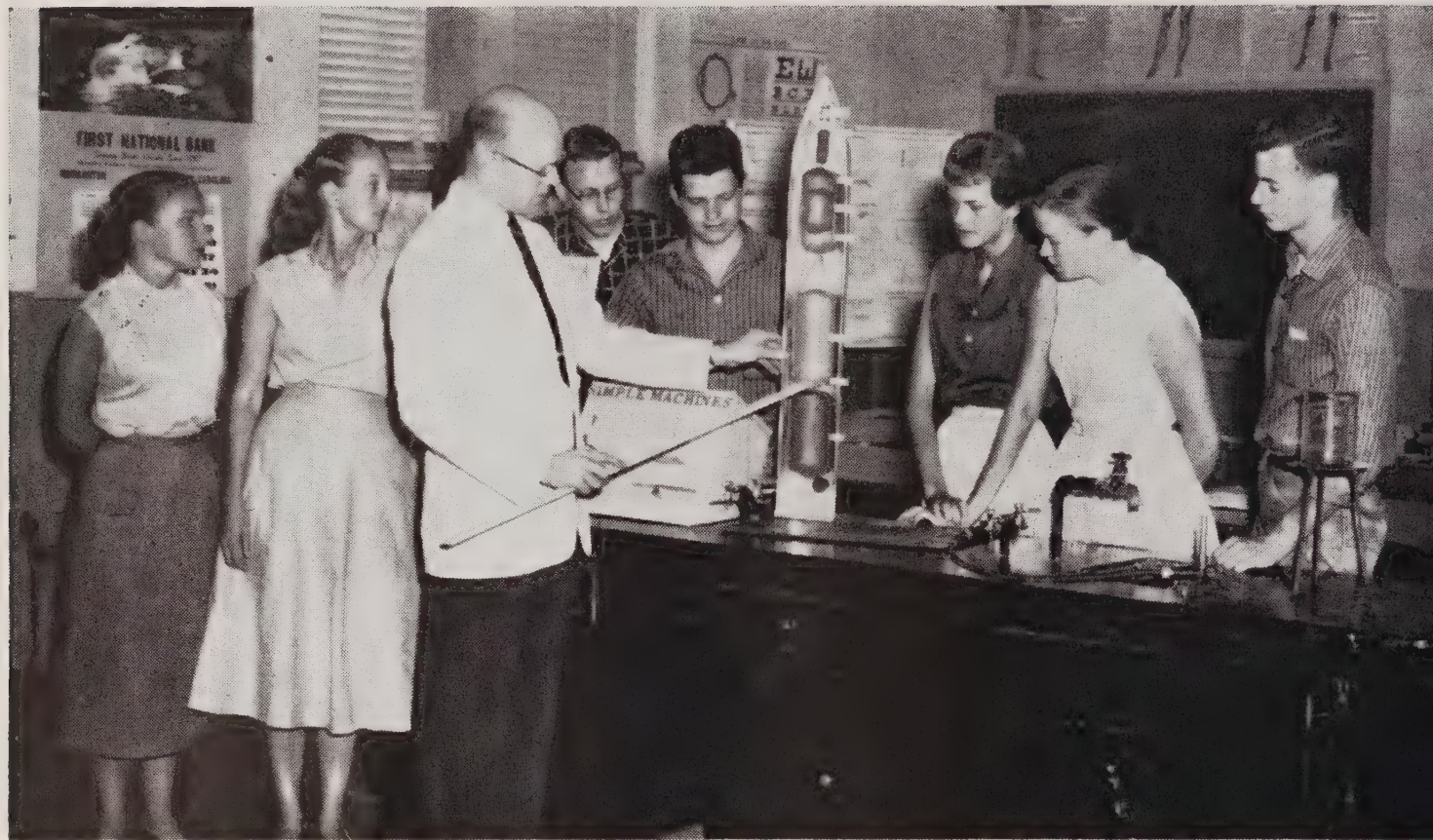
DINING ROOM SCENE — Self-reliance teaching starts early. Students help clear tables and make their own beds.



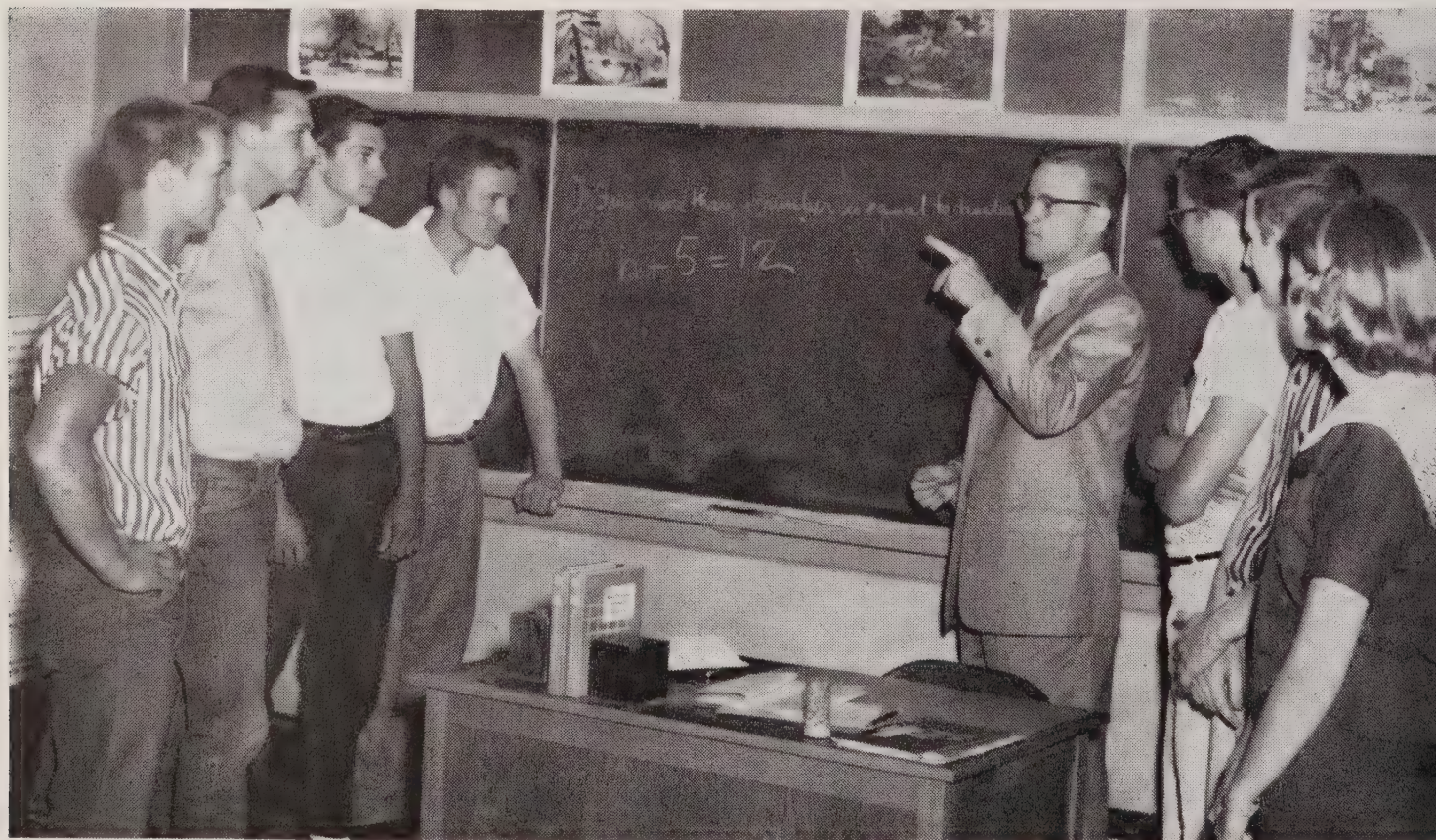
LIPREADING IS A STRANGE ART. Some deaf excell, other have a difficult time in mastering it. Attention is a must, and all eyes must be on the teacher's lips.



SPEECH for the deaf child requires skilled teachers and long hours of drill. A group hearing aid helps both lipreading and speech, but does not take the place of a trained teacher.



HIGH SCHOOL SCIENCE CLASS — Instruction is built around as much visual aid as possible. A well equipped science laboratory creates interest in science.

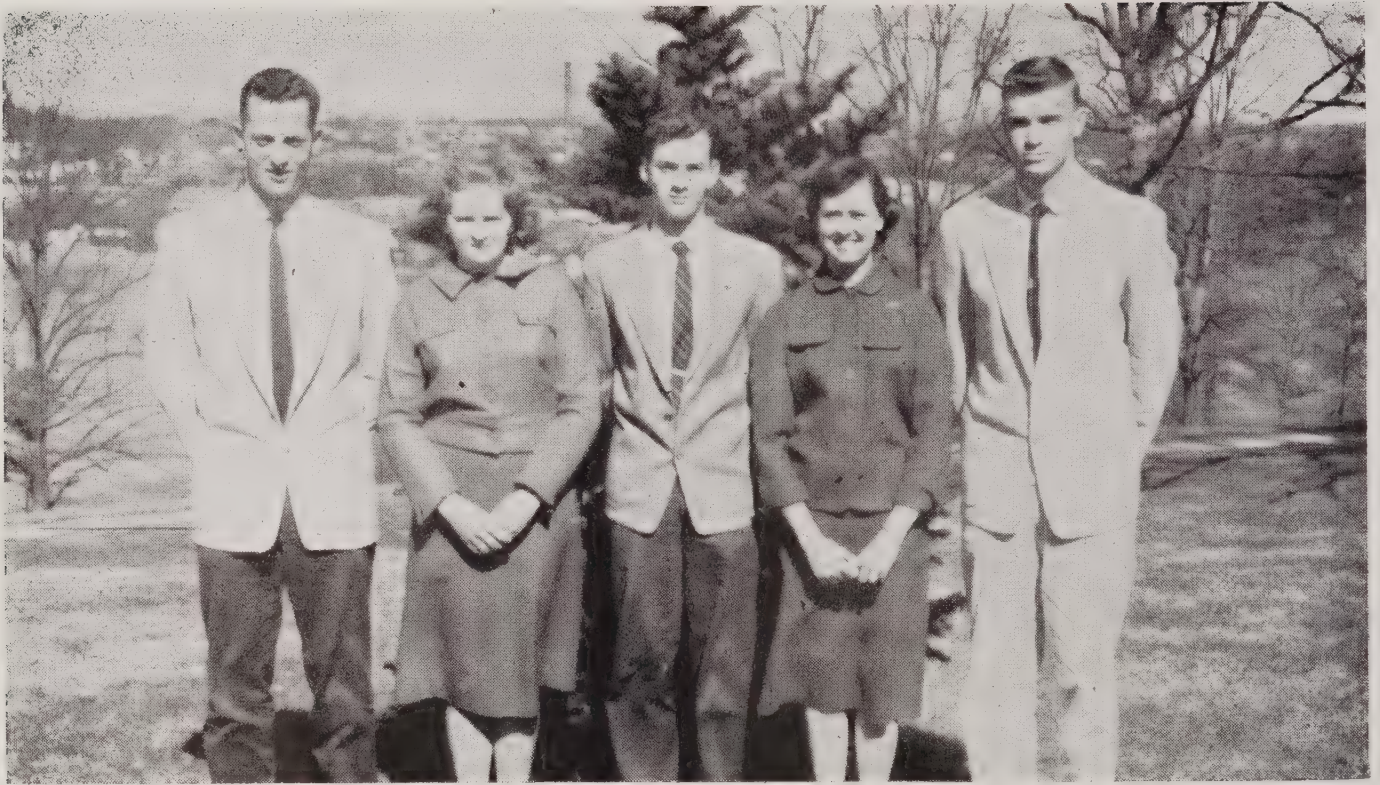


ALGEBRA — An exercise for the brain — These high school students are straining to find the unknown factor in algebra, as well as in life.



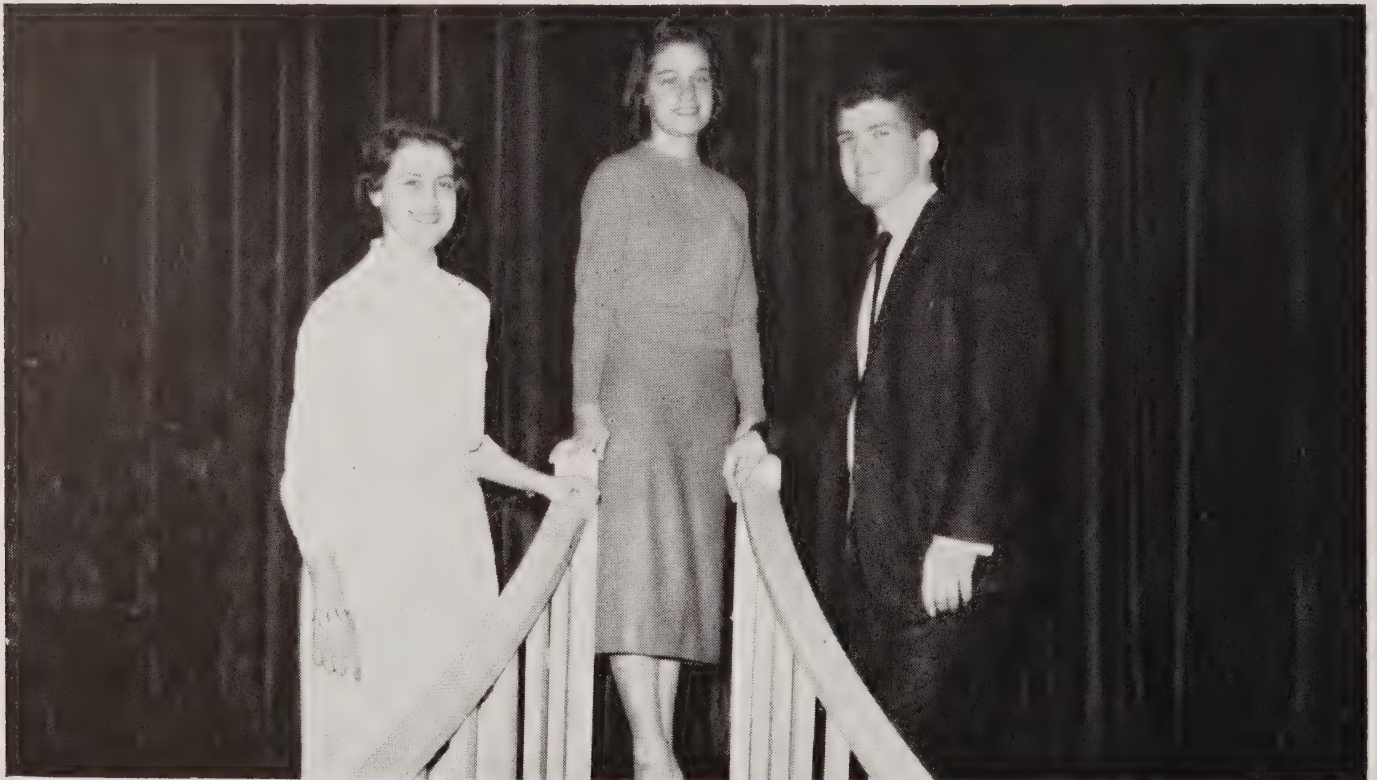
SUNDAY SCHOOL — Every child attends Sunday School. Teachers return on Sunday to teach. All children over 12 attend Church Service.

Christian Endeavor Society



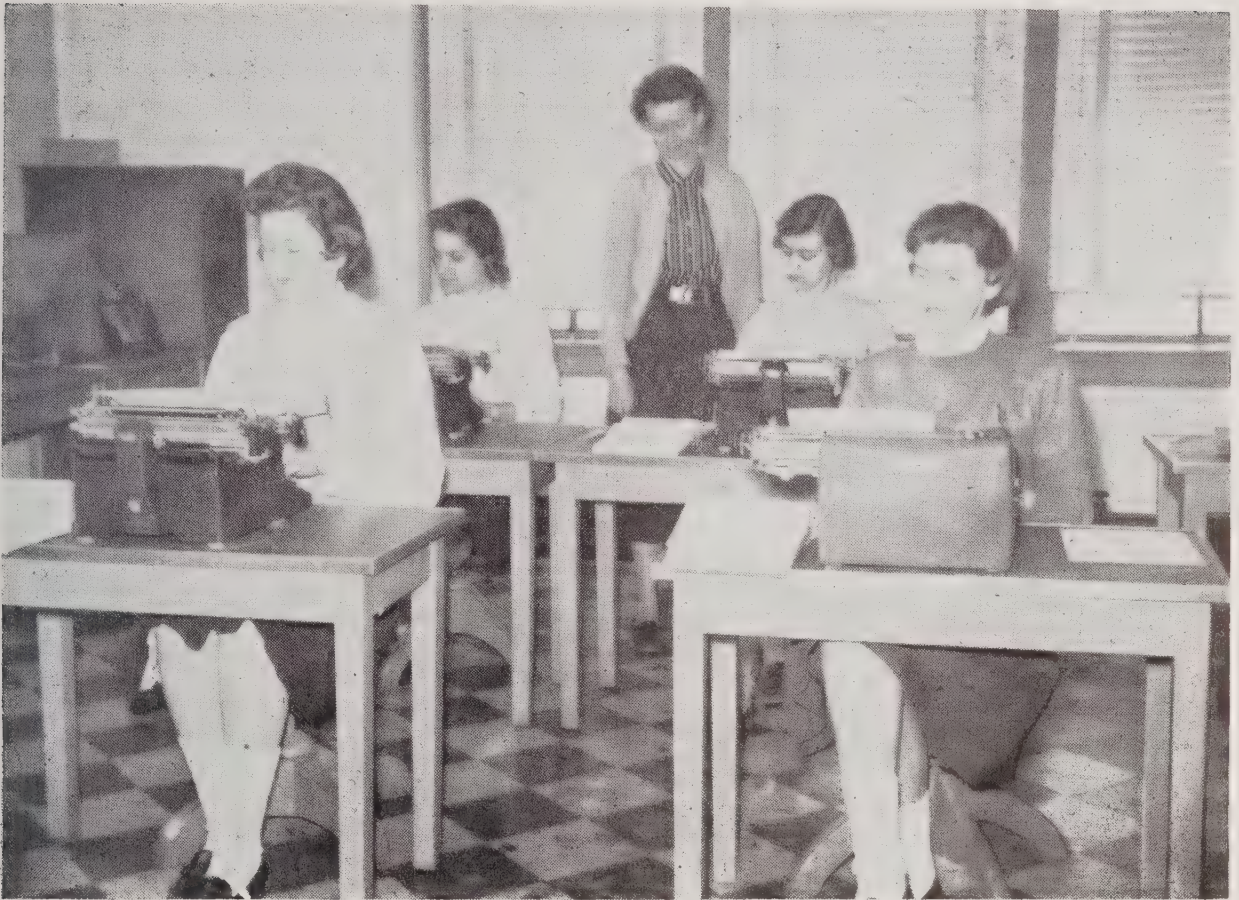
Left to Right: Donald Core, Dunn, Treasurer; Barara Ray, Burnsville, President; Elbert Phipps, Lumberton, Vice-president; Carolyn Outlaw, Ahoskie, Secretary; Bill Williams, Godwin, Treasurer

Goodwin Literary Society



Left to Right: Carolyn Outlaw, Ahoskie, Secretary; Jo Ann Allen, Thomasville, President; Terry Dillon, Jacksonville, Vice-president

Students At Vocational Work



Typing



Looping



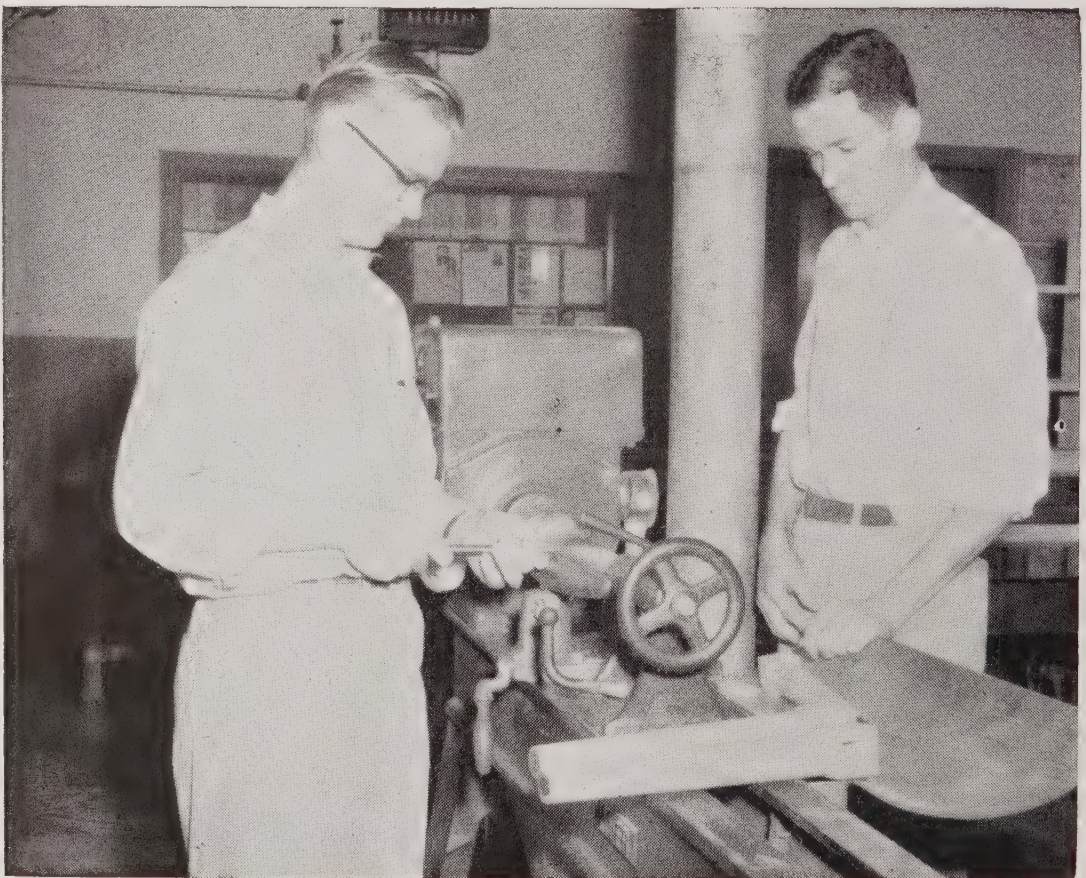
Sewing



Home Economics



Metal Work



Cabinet Making

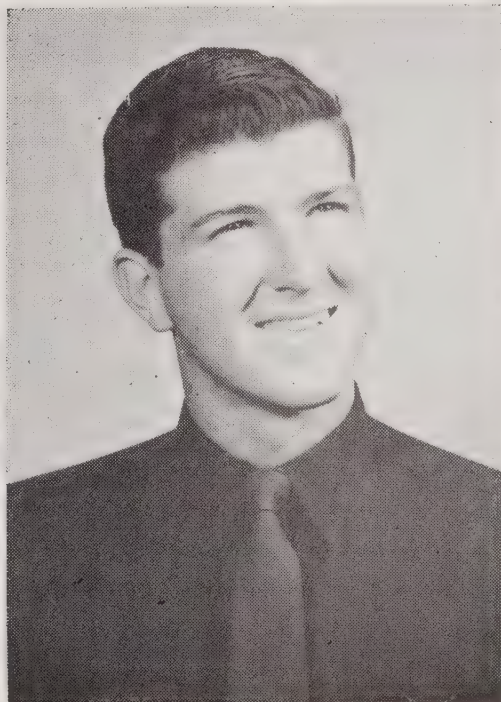
Pep Squad



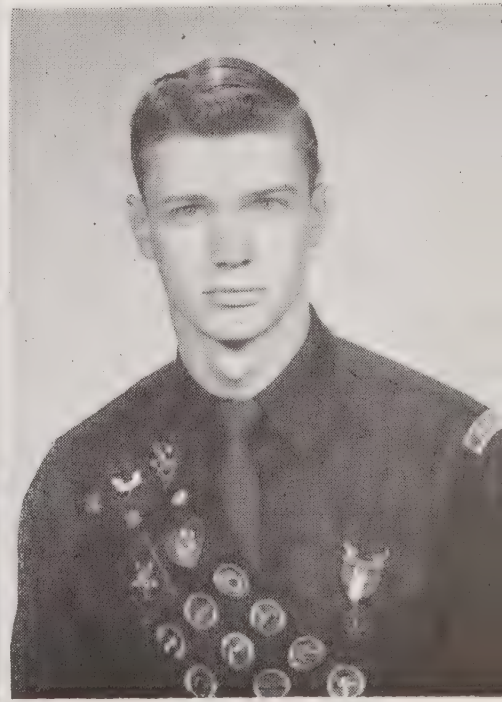
Eagle Scouts



Robert W. Lewis



Terrence M. Dillon

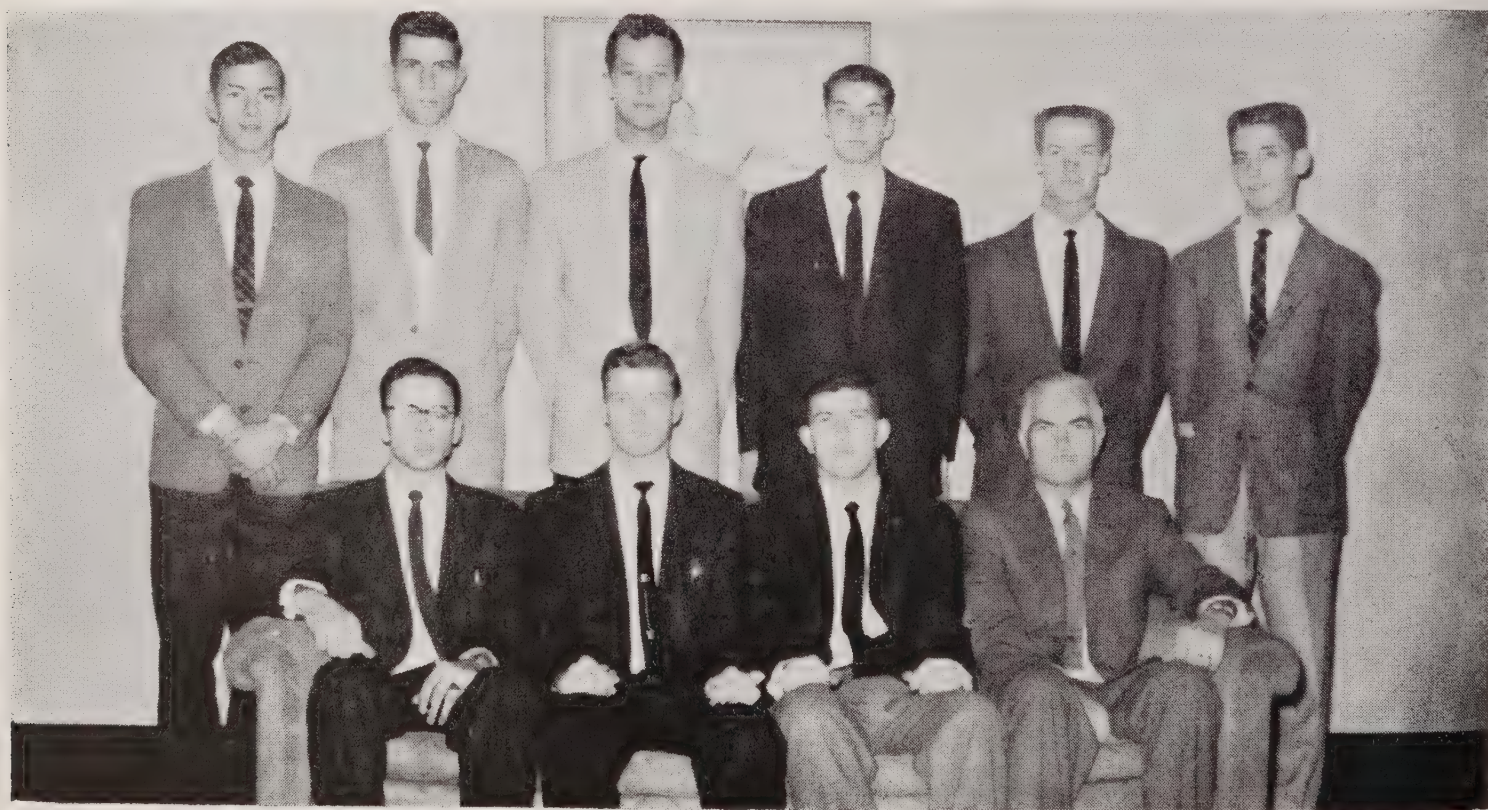


William S. Williams

Honor Societies



FEPHA HONOR SOCIETY — Seated: Jo Ann Allen, Thomasville; Linda Helms, Morganton, President; Virginia Biddix, Asheville, Vice-President; Miss Elgiva Shepard, Advisor; Carolyn Outlaw, Ahoskie. Standing: Marie Bailey, Burnsville; Carrie Long, Lenoir; Virginia Horne, Stedman; Helen Dunbar, Washington; Lee Ellen Gray, Cycle; Barbara Phillips, Kenley; Phoebe Faircloth, Stedman

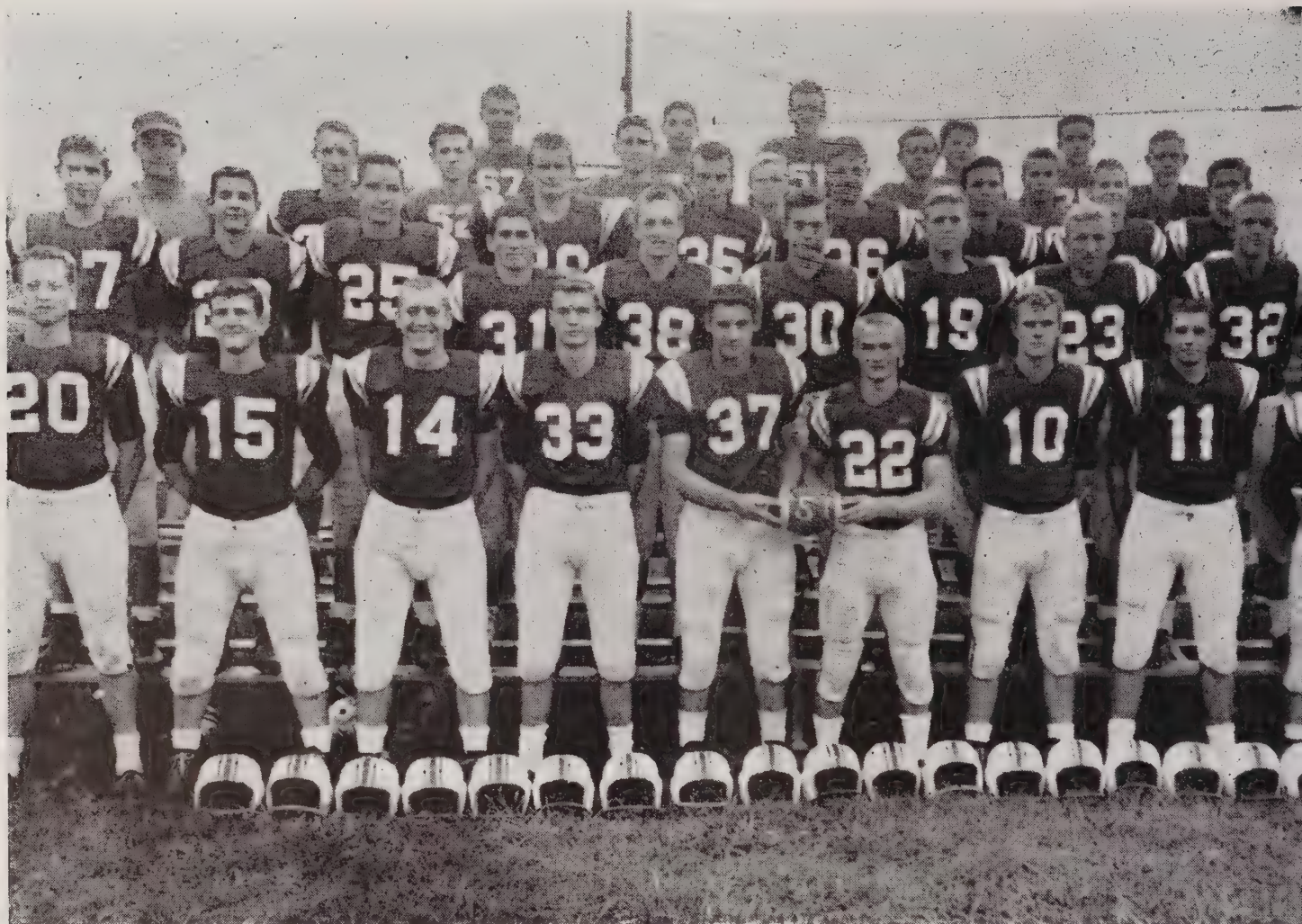


STERLING HONOR SOCIETY — Seated: Robert Lewis, Raleigh, Secretary; William Williams, Godwin, President; Terrence Dillon, Jacksonville, Vice-President; Mr. Geo. K. Brown, Advisor; Standing: Elbert Phipps, Lumberton; Franklin Handy, Burlington; Donald Core, Dunn; Charles Pless, Waynesville; Homer Fox, Leicester; John Mitchiner, Jr., Warrenton

Basketball Teams



Football Team



Track Team



Roll of Graduating Students — 1957-58

The following children either graduated, or withdrew from school:

Academic Diplomas—June 7, 1957

Jewel Louise Gordon, Kannapolis
John Thomas Lindsey, Jr., Durham
Paulette Sylvia McGee, Huntersville
Edward Eugene Miller, Advance
Dorothy Dean Settlemyre, Hickory
Brownie Lenora Stamey, Candler

Vocational Diplomas—June 7, 1957

William Stacy Crumpler, Salemburg
Dalton Henry Hufham, Fayetteville
Rachel Johnson, Winston-Salem
Patricia Ann Leonard, Glen Alpine
Donald Leslie Ruppe, Rutherfordton

Vocational Certificates—June 7, 1957

Glendia Austin, Hatteras
Carlos Elgy Brooks, Statesville
Carolyn Gardner, Kinston
Edgar Lee Haithcock, Greensboro
Vernon Hardison, Kinston
Selva Jean Joyner, Rocky Mount

Certificates of Attendance June 7, 1957

William Ray Murphy, Kinston
John Dee Young, Benson

Teacher Training Graduates—June 7, 1957

Mrs. Josephine M. Brendle
Mrs. Rebecca L. Calloway, B.S.
Miss Frieda Louise Gladden, B.S.
Mrs. Vera Breamer Hoffmeyer
Lewis Huffman, Jr., B.S.
Mrs. Betty W. McConnaughey
Mrs. Marguerite C. Plaster
Mrs. Arnetta Orders Stuart
Mrs. Alice Walker Smith

Academic Diplomas—June 6, 1958

Jo Ann Allen, Thomasville
Terrence Michael Dillon, Jacksonville
Franklin Delano Brown, Charlotte
Linda Elaine Helms, Morganton
William Stuart Williams, Godwin
Donald Lee Core, Dunn

Charles Thomas Johnson, Greensboro
Robert Woodall Lewis, Raleigh
Ruth Carolyn Outlaw, Ahoskie
Emily Sue Whitesides, Lincolnton

Vocational Diplomas—June 6, 1958

Marie Lois Bailey, Burnsville
Helen Dunbar, Washington
Barbara Ann Ray, Burnsville
Lee Ellen Gray, Cycle
Mildred Carraway, Snow Hill
Joann Arliss Morris, Raleigh
Melvin Herbert Blakley, East Bend
Eroll Linwood Maready, Chinquapin

Vocational Certificates—June 6, 1958

Sherrill Ned Caudle, Welcome
Murrill Fred Caudle, Welcome
Sandra Lee Miller, Burlington
Peggy Neil Greene, Troy
Margaret Sue Myers, Greensboro
Barbara Ann Scercy, Kannapolis
Alice Marie Summerlin, Goldsboro
Ellen Lottie Young, Benson
Jack Norman Hope, Kings Mountain

Certificates of Attendance—June 6, 1958

John Mason Dailey, Rockingham
Ronnie Spivey, Sanford

Teacher Training Graduates—June 6, 1958

Miss Sarah Joann Buff, A.B.
Mrs. Doris E. Blevins, B.S.
Ralph E. Causby, A.B.
Mrs. Vivian J. Freeman
Miss Beulah E. Huffman
Miss Nancy Lu Jones
Julian Bruce Leonard

Student Enrollment — Biennium 1956-58

ALAMANCE

Handy, Franklin, D.
Burlington

Handy, Garland
Burlington

Miller, Sandra L.
Graham

Schiretz, Frank
Burlington

Shepherd, Wayne
Burlington

Wyatt, Kirby
Burlington

ALEXANDER

May, Tommy
Taylorsville

ANSON

Ballard, Richard
Wadesboro

Caligan, Ellamary L.
Wadesboro

ASHE

Bledsoe, Billy R.
Fleetwood

Bledsoe, Martha
Fleetwood

Darnell, Jaunita
Glendale Springs

Williams, Sandra
Jefferson

AVERY

Arnett, Clayton
Banner Elk

Biddix, Allana G.
Crossnore

BEAUFORT

Boyd, Joyce
Pinetown

Cooper, Cecil
Pantego

Dunbar, Helen
Washington, N.C.

Harris, Judy
Belhaven

BERTIE

Jernigan, Billy
Aulander

Pierce, Bertha
Merry Hill

BLADEN

Duncan, Gary
Bladenboro

Elkins, Peggy Lou
Bladenboro

Meshaw, Ann
Council

Pittman, Johnny C.
Lumberton

BUNCOMBE

Barnwell, Leon
Asheville

Biddix, Virginia
Asheville

Black, Bertha
Leicester

Elliott, David
Asheville

Fox, Wayne
Leicester

Harris, Betty
Asheville

Lawrence, Glenda
Asheville

Letterman, Larry
Asheville

Lowe, Kenneth M.
Asheville

Lyda, Edith
Asheville

Marlowe, Annie Sue
Asheville

McAbee, Sandra
Asheville

Moody, Carol
Candler

Phillips, Nell
Asheville

Phillips, Patsy
Asheville

Rice, Bobby Sue
Asheville

Shepherd, Josephine
Swannanoa

Thomas, John T.
Weaverville

Waldrup, Norma L.
Weaverville

Wilson, Marcella
Asheville

BRUNSWICK

Hickman, Lana
Winnabow

Hickman, Tim Munroe
Winnabow

Potter, Anne
Southport

BURKE

Adkins, Sylvia
Morganton

Ballew, Fred Morganton	Setzer, Nancy Morganton	Pennell, John D. Lenoir	
Bowman, Chas. R. Morganton	Smith, Anita Morganton	Phillips, Peggy Lenoir	
Brown, Georganne Morganton	Stewart, Jerry Morganton	Triplett, Larry Lenoir	
Carpenter, Johnny Morganton	Tessneer, Betty Morganton	CATAWBA	
Cooper, Catherine Morganton	Turner, Shirley Valdese		
Eubanks, Kathleen Morganton	CABARRUS		
Gibbs, Betty Sue Morganton		Bates, Jimmy Kannapolis	Bowman, Chas. E. Newton
Gibbs, Jimmy Morganton		Duffell, Martha J. Kannapolis	Bowman, James W. Hickory
Gibbs, Lucile Morganton	Hegler, Larry Davidson	Cook, Ronda Hickory	
Green, Helen Morganton	Lisenby, Ann Concord	Greenwood, Gary Newton	
Helms, Linda E. Morganton	Moss, Roger Dale Kannapolis	Hill, Lynn Hickory	
Helms, Martha A. Morganton	Moss, Shelba Kannapolis	Lutz, Margaret Vale	
Joyce, Patricia Morganton	Mullis, Barbara Concord	McGee, Judith Catawba	
Leonard, Janice Morganton	Scercy, Barbara Kannapolis	Setzer, Ruby G. Hickory	
McKnight, Fredna Morganton	Snipes, Larry Concord	Snow, Melba Hickory	
Mercer, Wayne Morganton	CALDWELL	Snow, Wayne Hickory	
Midgette, Howard Morganton		CHATHAM	
Mills, David Morganton			
Nance, Tommy Morganton	Carver, William Ray Granite Falls		
Patton, Mary L. Morganton	Goble, Dick Granite Falls	Neal, Ronald Pittsboro	
Setzer, Eva Ray Morganton	Kirby, Susie Granite Falls	Roberts, Mike Bonlee	
	Long, Carrie Lee Lenoir	CHEROKEE	
	Moore, Claude R. Lenoir		
			Wilson, Gerby S. Marble

CHOWAN

Keeter, Lewis
Edenton
Radmall, Stephen
Edenton
Reece, Sue
Warne

CLAY

Reece, Mary
Warne

CLEVELAND

Barrett, William L.
Shelby
Click, Wm. C.
Shelby
Dunn, Richard
Kings Mountain
Hamrick, John Berry
Shelby
Hicks, Boyd
Shelby
Hope, Jack
Kings Mountain
Leatherman, Elwyn
Vale
Page, Roy
Shelby
Proctor, Wanda
Lawndale
Sisk, Gerald
Shelby
Sisk, Paul Alexander
Shelby
Stalcup, Elaine
Bessemer City
Wilkie, Elaine
Lawndale

COLUMBUS

Cooke, Bobby Joe
Evergreen

Reaves, Barbara
Nakina

Stephens, Nell E.
Hallsboro

Williamson, Carol
Nakina

Ward, Edmund
Clarendon

CUMBERLAND

Bain, Christine L.
Wade

Brantley, Nancy
Fayetteville

Bunnell, Sylvia
Fayetteville

Canady, Grace L.
Hope Mills

Chapman, Edgar, Jr.
Wade

Faircloth, Phoebe
Stedman

Faircloth, Douglas
Stedman

Horne, Virginia
Stedman

Hill, Charles V.
Fort Bragg

Huffman, Annie
Fayetteville

Jackson, James Jerry
Fayetteville

Johnson, Nancy
Fayetteville

McQueen, Doris
Fayetteville

Reeves, Donnie
Fayetteville

Sullivan, Judy
Fayetteville

Smith, Edom
Roseboro

Sullivan, Judy
Fayetteville

CRAVEN

Clark, Una
New Bern

Lancaster, Stephen
Vanceboro

Spence, Mary Jean
Bridgeton

DAVIDSON

Allen, Jo Ann
Thomasville

Caudle, Fred
Lexington

Caudle, Ned
Lexington

Caudle, Ruth
Lexington

Foust, Judy Carolyn
Lexington

Koontz, Larry
Lexington

Leonard, Janice
Lexington

Sechrest, Joy
Thomasville

Tussey, Robert
Lexington

DAVIE

Miller, Gay
Advance

Smoot, Gilbert
Mocksville

Wood, Charles
Advance

DUPLIN

Holmes, Haywood
Beulaville

Maready, Linwood
Chinquapin

Powell, Lois
Wallace

DURHAM

Barber, Butch
Durham

Holbrook, Jessie
Durham

Reeder, Patricia
Durham

Stutts, Jerry
Durham

EDGECOMBE

Daughtridge, Sylvia
Rocky Mount

Harrell, Willie Jean
Tarboro

Smith, Rebecca
Battleboro

FORSYTH

Bowles, Kay
Kernersville

Mabe, Caroline
Kernersville

Matthews, Pamela H.
Winston-Salem

McInnis, Susan
Winston-Salem

Sloan, Mary
Winston-Salem

Stewart, Roger Lee
Kernersville

Smith, Yvette V.
Winston-Salem

Woodle, Albert
Winston-Salem

GASTON

Adair, Helen S.
Gastonia

Branch, Mike
Bessemer City

Brooks, Renee D.
Gastonia

Gilmore, Tonda
Gastonia

Gillespie, Linda
Gastonia

Helms, Jerry
Cherryville

London, Floyd
Belmont

Martin, Geraldine
Gaston

Owens, Patricia
Gastonia

Wilson, Sherry Dawn
Gastonia

GRANVILLE

Chuites, Nancy
Butner

Daniel, Carolyn
Oxford

Ellis, Clement
Oxford

Jones, Bobby
Oxford

Roger, Doreen
Creedmoor

GREENE

Carraway, Mildred
Snow Hill

GUILFORD

Brizendine, Brain
Greensboro

Clark, Mildred T.
High Point

Clewis, Barbara
Greensboro

Cole, Barbara
High Point

Johnson, Judy Ann
Greensboro

Johnson, Thomas
Greensboro

Misenheimer, Janet
High Point

Murray, James Melvin
Greensboro

Reynolds, Pamela
Climax

Rickard, Sharon
High Point

Small, Mickey
High Point

Smith, Joyce
High Point

Spencer, Paula
High Point

Stone, Rachel
Greensboro

Suggs, Mike
High Point

Suggs, Lewis L.
High Point

Vaughn, Harry Lee
Greensboro

Vosloh, Mike
Greensboro

Winslow, Winford
Greensboro

Wood, Judy Gail
Jamestown

Mendenhall, Lelia
High Point

HARNETT

Autry, Robert
Dunn

Core, Donald
Dunn

Coker, Latricia Dale
Erwin

Hawley, Ralph
Dunn

Jackson, Tommy
Erwin

Mahar, Mitchell
Mamers

Tart, Vicky
Dunn

HAYWOOD

Arrington, Boyd
Clyde

Arrington, Shirley
Clyde

Pless, Charles Ray
Waynesville

Webb, Mary Alice
Canton

HENDERSON

Bradley, J.W.
Hendersonville

Stepp, Betty Lou
Hendersonville

HERTFORD

Outlaw, Carolyn
Ahoskie

HOKE

English, Ellen Gray
Raeford

English, Neill
Raeford

Pierce, George F.
Raeford

IREDELL

Moose, Dessie
Statesville

Moose, James
Statesville

Pegram, Mary
Union Grove

Stewart, Don R.
Mooresville

JACKSON

Crowe, Charles
Cherokee

Greene, Connie P.
Sylva

JOHNSTON

Ballance, Anna G.
Four Oaks

Dixon, Linda
Benson

Langdon, Donna K.
Benson

McLamb, Don W.
Dunn

Parrish, Catherine
Selma

Phillips, Barbara Ann
Kenly

Young, Ann
Benson

Young, Ellen
Benson

JONES

Miller, Jimmy
Beulahville

LENOIR

Gardner, Geraldine
Kinston

Howard, Dorothy
Kinston

Parris, Marion L.
Kinston

LINCOLN

Griggs, Diane
Lincolnton

Hull, Darrell Gene
Lincolnton

Sain, Larry P.
Lincolnton

Whitesides, Emily Sue
Lincolnton

Whitesides, Martha A.
Lincolnton

LEE

Hurley, Gerald Brent
Sanford

Page, Robert
Sanford

Poole, Barbara Ann
Sanford

Spivey, Ronnie
Sanford

MADISON

Shook, Fred
Mars Hill

MARTIN

Crisp, Barbara Ann
Robersonville

Perry, Margaret
Williamston

McDowell

Cable, Glenda
Marion

Jones, Roger
Marion

MECKLENBURG

Allen, Elizabeth
Charlotte

Blakely, Martin
Charlotte

Brown, Franklin Charlotte	Simmons, Faye Charlotte	Gasque, Joyce Wilmington
Childers, Johnny Charlotte	Spivey, Frances Charlotte	Howell, Richard M. Wilmington
Childers, Russell Charlotte	Wright, Hal W. Cornelius	Sanderson, Don Wilmington
Couch, Vickie Charlotte	Wright, Hayward Cornelius	NORTHAMPTON
Curtis, Timothy Allen Charlotte	Wright, Terry R. Cornelius	Glover, Dickie Margarettsville
Eaves, Trudy Charlotte	MITCHELL	ONSLOW
Freeman, Lorene Matthews	Autrey, Peggy Spruce Pine	Batchelor, Geraldine Richlands
Foust, Ella Mae Charlotte	Street, Wade Bakersville	Batchelor, Sybil Richlands
Fowler, Mary Ann Charlotte	MONTGOMERY	Dillon, Terry Jacksonville
Harrison, Brenda Charlotte	Ballard, Wayne Mount Gilead	Kellum, Johnny Jacksonville
Helms, Larry A. Matthews	Greene, Peggy Neil Troy	Greene, Sandra Jacksonville
Hickman, Marcus Charlotte	MOORE	ORANGE
Houlbrook, Charles Charlotte	Bruce, Bob Roger Robbins	Cooke, Mike Chapel Hill
Jacques, Carl D. Charlotte	Kennedy, Marion Pinehurst	PAMLICO
Medlin, Linda Charlotte	McKenize, Irwin West End	Ensley, Craig Arapahoe
Meek, James Charlotte	Sanders, Linda Robbins	Lewis, Mildred Lowland
Melton, Larry P. Charlotte	Spence, Donna Lee Pine Bluff	PERSON
McCord, W. S., III Charlotte	NASH	Briggs, Anna Longhurst
McGuirt, Ellen Kay Charlotte	Edwards, Thomas Nashville	Moore, Tony Hurdle Mills
McDaniel, Judith Charlotte	Matthews, Webb, III. Rocky Mount	PITT
Phillips, Jerry Bain Charlotte	NEW HANOVER	Evans, Johnny Ray Winterville
	Fowler, Roy Leland	Hunnings, Gary Greenville

Jones, Jimmy
Greenville

Jones, Marjorie Ruth
Greenville

Lockamy, Ray G.
Greenville

Lockamy, Richard C.
Greenville

Lockamy, Russell E.
Greenville

Myers, Margaret Sue
Greenville

PASQUOTANK

Bray, Brenda Faye
Elizabeth City

White, Herbert
Elizabeth City

White, Neia
Elizabeth City

Umphlett, Dewey
Elizabeth City

RANDOLPH

Bowman, Shirley
Asheboro

Keeling, Mary F.
Asheboro

Noah, Wayne
Cedar Falls

Wall, Harold
Trinity

RICHMOND

Dailey, James David
Rockingham

Dailey, John Mason
Rockingham

Dailey, Vergie
Rockingham

Gobble, Edward M.
Hamlet

ROBESON

Britt, Thomas
Lumberton

Honeycutt, Sherry L.
St. Paul's

Locklear, Delton
Lumberton

Lowery, Valdinio
Fairmont

Ludlum, Yvonne
Lumberton

Morgan, Carolyn
Rowland

Morgan, Barbara
Rowland

Oxendine, Barbara
Pembroke

Phipps, Elbert
Lumberton

Riddle, Knox
St. Paul's

ROCKINGHAM

Burton, Reginald
Reidsville

Hailey, Philip
Draper

Hall, Jimmy
Mayodan

Hall, Joesph
Mayodan

Howell, Richard
Cascade, Va.

Johnson, Theresa
Mayodan

Jones, John
Reidsville

Matthews, Wm. J.
Hampton, Va.

Yarborough, Marvin
Danville, Va.

ROWAN

Beaver, Sharon
Salisbury

Cooley, Dianne
Salisbury

Hager, Jerry D.
China Grove

Isenhour, Betty
China Grove

Isenhour, Linda
China Grove

Isenhour, Louise
China Grove

Medinger, Sylvia
Salisbury

Stevens, Ruby
China Grove

West, Linda
Spencer

West, Patsy
Spencer

SAMPSON

Greene, Annie Grace
Roseboro

Gurganious, Dalton
Harrell's Store

Hall, Mary
Autryville

Hawley, Tony W.
Dunn

Rich, Johnny
Garland

Williams, Wm. Stuart
Godwin

SCOTLAND

Robinson, Nellie
Hamlet

Oxendine, Willie F.
Laurinburg

STANLEY	UNION	Lewis, Robert W. Raleigh
Ballard, Treva Norwood	Price, Sam Monroe	Yeargan, Helen F. Garner
Burleson, Judy Ann Albemarle	Stegall, Lanny Marshville	
Burris, Elton Lee Albemarle	Williams, Sue Monroe	WARREN
Furr, Gerald Wayne New London		Harper, Hervey, Jr. Littleton
James, Stacey Albemarle	VANCE	Mitchiner, John T. Warrenton
Kirk, Guy Albemarle	Purcell, Helen Mae Townsville	
Little, Diane Albemarle	Purcell, John B. Townsville	WASHINGTON
Little, Donna Albemarle		Williams, Kay Roper
Gregory, Beverly Albemarle	WAKE	
	Duncan, William C. Raleigh	WATAUGA
STOKES	Duncan, Deanne Raleigh	Miller, Dennis Triplett
Lewis, Pamela Walnut Cove	Duncan Sandy Clyde Raleigh	Miller, Johnny H. Triplett
	Johnson, Joan Apex	Thomas, Clint F. Boone
SURRY	Morris, Joan Raleigh	Thomas, Hazel Boone
Hayes, Johnny Elkin	Nichols, W. H., Jr. Raleigh	
Wolfe, Louise Dobson	Pegram, Marie Raleigh	WAYNE
Wolfe, J.W. Dobson	Scarboro, Ann Wendell	Bordeaux, Danny G. Goldsboro
Taylor, Dean Pilot Mountain	Scarboro, Mary Ella Wendell	Davis, Betty Goldsboro
	Scarboro, Robert Lee Wendell	Davis, Edna Goldsboro
SWAIN	Scagroves, Margaret Raleigh	Herring, Joyce Emily Mount Olive
Herron, Wayne Bryson City	Snakenburg, Kaye Raleigh	Power, Diana Mount Olive
TRANSYLVANIA	Terry, McKinley Raleigh	Power, Stephen Mount Olive
Buchanan, Gladys Brevard		Summerlin, Marie Goldsboro

WILKES

Barnes, John T.
Boomer

Billings, Stoney B.
Elkin

Bumgarner, Janet Kay
North Wilkesboro

Clanton, Dee
Boomer

Dancy, Carl
Wilbar

Eldridge, Shelby J.
Ronda

Gray, Lee Ellen
Cycle

Johnson, Archie
Wilkesboro

Johnson, Harold
Wilkesboro

Triplett, Mike
Traphill

Yates, Darrell
North Wilkesboro

WILSON

Dilda, Judy
Wilson
Williams, Charles Roy
Elm City

Rogers, Lois Yvonne
Saratoga

YADKIN

Bishop, James Russell
Yadkinville

Blakley, Melvin
East Bend

Shaffner, Carolyn
Jonesville

Shaffner, Mary Ann
Jonesville

Wright, Vergie M.
Yadkinville

YANCEY

Bailey, Marie
Burnsville

Ballew, Louise
Burnsville

Boone, Frank Douglas
Newdale

Fox, Homer G.
Burnsville

Ray, Barbara
Burnsville

Ray, Maurice
Burnsville

(Pupils whose parents
are members of armed
forces or who are tem-
porarily out of State.)

Barnick, Joe
Forest Park, Ga.

Davis, Brenda Kate
Pensacola, Florida

McDaniel, Lee
Columbia, S.C.

Stuckey, Pat
Portsmouth, Va.

Stuckey, Ricky
Portsmouth, Va.

Williamson, Barney
Arlington, Va.

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Morganton



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Letter of Transmittal

His Excellency, Luther H. Hodges
Governor of North Carolina
Executive Chamber
Raleigh, North Carolina

Dear Sir:

The Board of Directors of the North Carolina School for the Deaf has the honor to transmit to your Excellency its thirty-fifth biennial report, and respectfully asks your careful examination of the condition, progress and needs of the School.

The members of the Board wish to express their appreciation for your active interest in, and your courteous consideration of, the needs of the School.

Respectfully submitted,

Wm. S. McCord, *Secretary*

July 1, 1960

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Letter of Transmittal

Members of the Board:

It is my duty and privilege to submit to you a report on the operation of the School for the years 1958-60.

Respectfully submitted,

Ben E. Hoffmeyer,

General Information

The North Carolina School for the Deaf is a free public school operated for the benefit of those children who are handicapped by loss of hearing. The children are admitted to the school under the provisions of State Law.

It is the aim of the School to attain the following objectives:

1. To seek in every way to help each deaf child become a well-rounded individual who fits into American community life; a person alert to life about him, informed about local, national and world affairs, capable of independent thinking and action with regard to these, socially adjusted in home and community, reverent toward those things held sacred by us as a people, and loyal to State and Nation.
2. To so equip each child vocationally that he or she may be economically a self-sustaining person; to develop as far as possible those skills which will enable the individual to secure and hold the best possible job commensurate with his abilities.
3. To develop in each child, as far as possible, a strong healthy body, intelligent attitudes toward health and wholesome health habits.
4. To secure for each child, as far as possible, a formal education through twelve grades.
5. To develop in each child full capacity in speech-reading.
6. To develop in each child, as far as possible, capacity to use normal speech.

If children are physically strong and well developed, they should enter school as early as possible; that is, as soon as they appear to be sufficiently matured to live under the conditions of dormitory life at the School. Beginning in the fall of 1954 children were entered at the age of five years. There is a compulsory attendance law in North Carolina. General Statutes, 115-130, which requires that the parents of every "deaf child" of school age place them in school. The interpretation put upon the term "deaf child" for the purpose of determining whether a child shall be admitted to this School or shall remain in attendance at a public school is whether, in the opinion of his teachers in the public school, he can do satisfactory work there; if his work is unsatisfactory,

and the cause appears to be loss of hearing, the principal of the public school may dismiss him from that school; the parents of such a child must then, under Law, enter him in the School for the Deaf immediately.

Teaching the deaf child is considered to be one of the most difficult educational processes known. For a normal child, approximately eighty percent of all knowledge is assimilated through the ear up to the age of 12 years. With this in mind, it is easy to realize the tremendous educational handicap of deafness. A full year of special training is necessary for all teachers for developing speech and language in the deaf child. It requires very special techniques and procedures.

The North Carolina School for the Deaf has a Training Program for Teachers, and as a result has a full staff of trained teachers.

Custodial care of deaf children is made more difficult because a house parent cannot communicate with a group of deaf children through auditory, verbal communication. A visual or physical contact must be made before communication can be made. This fact makes caring for the deaf a heavy responsibility. It requires a dedicated, energetic person who is alert to dangers, for he must furnish the hearing for the whole group. Great care is taken in selecting a house parent.

There is a school fee of \$25.00 per year to cover school supplies, clothing repair and other incidental expenses. The parents must also furnish clothes and transportation. If parents are in indigent circumstances, they may apply to the County Department of Public Welfare.

The severely mentally retarded deaf cannot be admitted; the school program is for only the educable. The School officials determine whether they consider a child educable. This is usually done by a temporary trial enrollment.

The School does not have a field agent, so field work is done by the State Department of Public Welfare.

Staff and Faculty — Biennium 1958-60

ADMINISTRATION

Ben E. Hoffmeyer, M. A. Superintendent
Mrs. Margaret C. Simmons Secretary to Superintendent
W. K. Keeter (Retired October 1959) Business Manager
Thomas W. Walton (Since October 1959) Business Manager
Miss Sarah A. Watkins Secretary to Business Manager
Miss Maude L. Blankenship Secretary to Business Manager

EDUCATIONAL

R. M. McAdam, B. S. Principal
Mrs. Frances E. Davis Building Principal, Upper Building
Mrs. Katherine W. Thomason, Building Principal, Intermediate School
Miss Nan F. Jeter, B. A. Building Principal, Primary School

Teachers — Upper School

Mrs. Meta H. Bigham, B. S.	James N. Potter, B. S.
Mrs. Charlotte E. Billings	Mrs. Marlys P. Scribner
David M. Denton	Robert W. Scribner, B. S.
Mrs. Beatrice S. Chapman, A. B.	Mrs. Jane R. Taylor, B. S.*
Mrs. Bashie C. Crutchfield	Mrs. Anne B. Starrett
Miss Norma M. Bushey, B. S.	William A. Simpson, B. A.
Mrs. Kate B. Fowler, B. A.	Mrs. Elizabeth W. Walker
Mrs. Cordelia H. Giles, A. B.	Mrs. Tucker J. Walker
Miss Vivian S. Hollingsworth, B. S.	Mrs. Jessie E. Warber
Mrs. Martha C. Hord	Mrs. Julia H. Wayt, M. A.
Albert Mehl	Mrs. Jane C. Williams, A. B.
Miss Paula J. Williams, B. S.	

Teachers — Intermediate School

Mrs. Anne C. Causby, A. B.	Mrs. Betty S. Mitchell, B. A.
Mrs. Hattie M. Dickens, A. B.	Mrs. Dorothy B. Mitchell, B. A.
Miss Sarah J. Buff, A. B.	Miss Anne C. Owens, B. S.
Miss Beulah E. Huffman, B. S.	Mrs. Marguerite C. Plaster
Mrs. Mary H. Kirksey, B. A.	Mrs. Annie L. Phillips
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Mrs. Jennie T. Law, M. A.	Mrs. Carease H. Walker, B. A.
Mrs. Anabelle H. McCreight	Miss Betty C. Smith
Mrs. Mary C. McCombs *	
Mrs. Frances A. Taylor	
Mrs. Sarah W. Whitley, A. B., <i>Hearing & Psychological Testing</i>	

Teachers — Primary School

Mrs. Josephine M. Brendle	Mrs. Nelda E. Maxwell, A. B.
Miss Joy C. Bowers	Mrs. Alice W. Smith, B. S.
Mrs. Willie M. DeLaughter	Mrs. Mary G. Patton, A. B.
Mrs. Evelyn H. Copenhaver	Mrs. Mary B. Tuttle, B. A.
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Mrs. Bleecker M. Harbison	Mrs. Evelyn W. Watson, B. S.*
Miss Sarah L. Harris, B. A.	Miss Camilla Simpson, A. B.
Mrs. Vera B. Hoffmeyer	Mrs. Ann B. Walton, B. A.
Mrs. Gernell H. Dale, A. B., B. S.*	

TEACHER TRAINING CLASS**Beginning in Fall of 1960**

Mrs. Ella Wolfe H. Billings	Mrs. Helen S. Hunt
Mrs. Gernell H. Dale	Donald Kelly Potet
Miss Nola Jean Fleming	Miss Camilla Simpson
Mrs. Mary Hotchkiss	Miss Jean Carolyn Simpson
Miss Marilyn Hotchkiss	Mrs. Linda Wall

David M. Denton

(*) Indicates teachers yet in training

Teachers — Vocational

George K. Brown, B. A.	<i>Guidance and Counseling</i>
Miss Ruth L. Cooper	<i>Looping</i>
Paul B. Crutchfield	<i>Printing</i>
Miss Lucy M. Goins, M. A.	<i>Home Economics</i>
James Vernon Golightly	<i>Metals Work</i>
W. A. Hord, Jr., B. S.,	<i>Athletic Director and Driver Training</i>
John E. McCreight	<i>General Shop</i>
R. E. Mayfield	<i>Shoe Repair and Leather Arts</i>
James B. Taylor	<i>Dry Cleaning & Tailoring</i>
Mrs. Sallie N. Sheppard	<i>Sewing</i>
Mrs. Mary C. Patton	<i>Typing and Business Machine Operation</i>
Wilson W. Sherrill	<i>Cabinet Making</i>
Mrs. Kathleen P. Underhill	<i>Arts and Crafts</i>
Mrs. DeLanie B. Winchester, B. S.	<i>Advanced Sewing</i>

CUSTODIAL — MAINTENANCE

Mrs. Nell B. Mundy	<i>Chief Counselor, Goodwin Hall</i>
Fred E. English	<i>Chief Counselor, Hoffmeyer Hall</i>
Ed. Plemmons	<i>Head Counselor, Hoffmeyer Hall</i>
Mrs. Clifton Leonard	<i>Desk Clerk, Hoffmeyer Hall</i>

Miss E. Elgiva Shepard	Chief Counselor, Main Building
Miss Rose Erwin	Substitute for Chief Counselors
Mrs. Ruth Y. Silver	Chief Counselor, Rankin Hall
Miss Mary Kirksey	Head Counselor, Goodwin Hall
Miss Emmie Lou Mace	Boys' Head Counselor, Goodwin Hall
Miss June M. Brown	Girls' Head Counselor, Rankin Hall
Miss Deffie Freeman	Boys' Head Counselor, Rankin Hall
Dr. W. H. Patton, Jr.	School Physician (on Call)
Dr. Edw. W. Phifer	School Surgeon (part-time basis)
Dr. Ralph Coffey	School Dentist (part-time basis)
Miss Roberta Wylie, R. N.	School Nurse
Miss Hazel Glenn	Assistant Practical Nurse
Mrs. Hazel Pritchard	Practical Nurse
Miss Laura C. Howard, M. A.	Head Dietitian for School
Mrs. Lillian V. Houk	Assistant Dietitian, Rankin Hall
Mrs. Elizabeth Rusmisell	Assistant Dietitian, Goodwin Hall
Mrs. Mary Tesneer	Food Service Supervisor, Hoffmeyer Hall
Fred F. Rusmisell	Plant Engineer
Dan F. Cameron	Farm Manager
C. L. Street	Head, Laundry Department

Superintendent's Report

As Superintendent of the North Carolina School for the Deaf, I herewith submit the Thirty-fifth Biennial report for this school which was established in 1894 at Morganton.

This thirty-fifth biennium is characterized by a giant advance in the improvement of the existing buildings and grounds and the addition of a boys' new dormitory which was put in use in the fall of 1959. This addition enabled the school to move the boys out of the north wing of Main Building, and make Main Building, an all girls' dormitory. Money was requested of the 1959 Legislature to make renovations in the girls' dormitory, so that it would be more pleasant and more functional.

Curb and guttering on the campus has added greatly to the looks and provides easier maintance of walks and roadways. All important roadways have been black-topped and are in excellent condition.

The Teachers Training Program provided the School with trained teachers throughout the biennium. Few schools have adequately trained teachers, so this was a noteworthy accomplishment.

The enrollment reached 500 which rates the school as one of the three largest in the United States. Capacity is considered 525, which will be reached in two years.

The Board of Directors and the Adimnistration recommended to the Adivsory Budget Commission in 1960 that a new Eastern School for the Deaf, be considered.

The North Carolina School for the Deaf is rated high nationally and has an excellent record on preparing students for college and for employment.

I consider it an honor to serve the state and the deaf of North Carolina.

Ben E. Hoffmeyer, *Superintendent*

HOUSEHOLD LIFE

Household life is an area for which dedicated employees are hardest to find. The hours are long, and the position is confining. Living in is required which limits the number of applicants. Men are especially difficult to find, since most are married and cannot live in the dormitory.

Child care problems are numerous, however, with improved facilities and added night houseparents, the overall child care has improved greatly in this binnium. With current renovations, improvement should continue.

A Dean of Students, as a department head for all households and students is recommended. More guidance for the household personnel is needed, and such a person would be in a position to give it.

Progress is being made, and more is needed. A 48 hour work week would be a great help in recruiting higher type household personnel.

DIETARY

It is the aim of the dietary department to serve students and staff a well-balanced diet which will come within the budget, and to serve it in an appetizing manner in pleasant surroundings. Because of reasonable increase in the food budget to take care of price advances, the school has been able to accomplish this aim.

HEALTH

The School's Health Program and the Infirmary are under the general supervision of Dr. W. H. Patton, Jr., a Pediatrician. Under his supervision advancement has been made and the care of sick children has improved greatly.

Two wings for the Infirmary were requested in 1959, and the request was denied. However, \$14,000 was appropriated for modernizing bathrooms, the electrical system, plumbing

and for vinyl asbestos tile on the floors. this will help greatly in the care of children.

The 1959 Legislature added one maid, so that the building is now better kept, and the nurses have more time to do their duties.

Dr. Ralph Coffey is the School Dentist and takes care of emergency work. Dr. B. W. Armstrong is the Consulting Otologist, and makes an annual visit, examining children with E. N. T. problems and all new children.

All parents receive the following notice regarding medical care in a general letter sent to them by the superintendent:

We have a school infirmary and care for minor sickness; there is no extra charge to parents for this service. Prescriptions or specially prescribed drugs must be paid for by parents. If it is necessary to send a child to the town hospital, parents must take care of his bill while there. Bills incurred because of injuries sustained while playing football, or other games which necessitate special hospital, doctor's care or special drugs, etc., must be paid by parents. If you do not wish your child to play certain games, please advise the Superintendent in writing, otherwise he will not be barred from any school play or games.

If parents are financially unable to have all necessary dental work done for the child, to have eyes examined and glasses fitted, if needed, the should ask for Welfare aid. Keep in mind we have neither funds, or facilities to have dental work done here, or have glasses fitted. These things must be done before the child comes to school. If tonsils and adenoids need removing, this must be done before the child comes to school.

FARM

The farm is under management of Mr. Dan F. Cameron. The farm furnished adequate milk for the school. Pork pro-

duction was sold on foot for farm revenue. Pork production was curtailed, for student population is young, and only limited pork can be used. The institution found that selling the hogs and buying selected pork cuts suitable for children was better management than butcheing the hogs and having waste.

Due to a 9 calendar consumption of milk and other farm products, it is recommended that a study be made as to the advisability of continued farm operations at the North Carolina School for the Deaf. Combining the farm operation at the North Carolina School for the Deaf with Broughton Hospital may be economically wise.

The dairy herd continues to be outstanding with a 100 percent registered herd.

LAUNDRY

The Laundry serves all students, and staff members who desire to pay for laundry service at the school laundry. Some student help is used, and this serves two purposes: (1) trains students in laundry work, and (2) helps reduce the cost of operation of the laundry.

The 1959 Legislature granted some much needed modern equipment for the laundry, and Mr. C. L. Street, head of that department, says this has made the work easier, and enabled him to run the laundry more efficiently.

Report of the Business Manager

Summary Statement of State Appropriated Fund

Biennium 1958-60

	1958-59	1959-60
Maintenance:		
Appropriation:		
Maintenance and Operation	\$796,724.00	\$875,479.00
Additions and Betterments	4,781.00	
Institutional Receipts	54,777.49	58,805.18
Total Availability	\$856,282.49	\$934,284.18

Expenditures:

Maintenance and Operation	\$844,165.08	\$903,074.06
Additions and Betterments	4,779.96	
Total Expenditures	\$848,945.04	\$903,074.06
Unexpended Balance	7,337.45	31,210.12

Permanent Improvement:

Appropriation:		
Code 65747	\$395,200.00	\$395,200.00
Code 65787	300,000.00	300,000.00
Code 65938		191,700.00
Receipts	165,839.33	169,797.33
Total Availability	\$861,039.33	\$1,056,697.33

Expenditures:

All Codes	\$737,973.97	\$853,656.64
Unexpended Balance, June 30	\$123,065.36	\$203,040.69

Roll of Graduating Students — 1958-60

The following students either graduated or withdrew from school:

Academic Diplomas — June 5, 1959

Virginia Mae Biddix, Asheville
Barbara Ann Crisp, Robersonville
Sandy Clyde Duncan, Raleigh
Phoebe Lee Faircloth, Stedman
Gary James Greenwood, Newton
Charles Vernon Hill, Fayetteville
Beulah Virginia Horne, Stedman
Theresa Gail Johnson, Mayodan
John Tyson Mitchiner, Jr., Warrenton
Claude Richmond Moore, Lenoir
Elbert Ray Phipps, Lumberton

Vocational Diplomas — June 5, 1959

Homer Gene Fox, Burnsville
David Gamewell Leonard, Morganton
Richard Columbus Lockamy, Greenville
James Webb Matthews, III, Rocky Mount
Charles Ray Pless, Waynesville
Clint Franklin Thomas, Boone

Students withdrawing during, and at end of year June 5, 1959:

Ballard, Richard	Moose, James
Curtis, Timothy	Nichols, W. H.
Daniels, Glenda Ada	Street, Wade
Duncan, Aaron	Stokes, Bobby
Fowler, Roy	Scales, Susan K.
Harper, Hervey	Tussey, Robert
Medinger, Sylvia	Wall, Harold
	Woodle, Albert

Teacher Training Diplomas Granted — June 5, 1959

Martha Lou Dickens	Sarah Wilson Whitely
Vivian Sue Hollingsworth	Barbara Smith Mackorell
Mary Davenport Parrish	Ann Butler Walton

Academic Diplomas — June 3, 1960

Geo. W. Baxter, Jr., Charlotte
Franklin Delano Handy, Burlington
Frances Gay Miller, Advance
Beverly Kay Willis, Williston
Terry Readling Wright, Cornelius

Vocational Diplomas — June 3, 1960

Elizabeth Fannie Allen, Albemarle
Grace Louise Canady, Hope Mills
William Ben Davis, Wilson
Martha Jean Duffel, Kannapolis
Geraldine Gardner, Kinston
Annie Marie Hufham, Fayetteville
Barbara Ann Phillips, Kenly
George Franklin Pierce, Raeford
Ruby Lee Stevens, China Grove

Students withdrawing during, and at end of year June 3, 1960

Bain, Christine	McKenzie, Irvin
Burton, Reginald	Matthews, Wm. J.
Gurganious, Dalton	Mendenhall, Lilia
Howard, Dorothy	Perry, Margaret
Howell, Dickie	Scarpelli, Mark
Koontz, Larry T.	Sisk, Paul
Lowe, Chas. Stewart	Smith, Edom
Martin, Geraldine	Davis, Edna
Medline, Linda Marie	Davis, Betty

Teacher Training Diplomas Granted — June 3, 1960

James J. Anderson	Ralph C. Stegall
Anne C. Owens	Paula J. Williams

Student Enrollment—Biennium 1958-60

ALAMANCE

Farrell, Randy D.
Burlington

Handy, Garland
Burlington

Hawkins L. Catherine
Burlington

Loy, Gregory D.
Burlington

Schiretz, Frank
Burlington

Shepard, Wayne M.
Burlington

Small, Jeanette
Burlington

ALEXANDER

May, Tommy
Taylorsville

ALLEGHANY

Delp, Jack Norris
Laurel Springs

ANSON

Caligan, Ellamary L.
Wadesboro

ASHE

Bledsoe, Billy
Fleetwood

Bledsoe, Martha
Fleetwood

Cooper, Rebecca Anne
West Jefferson

Darnell, Juanita
Glendale Springs

Williams, Sandra
West Jefferson

AVERY

Arnett, Clayton
Banner Elk

Biddix, Allana G.
Crossnore

BEAUFORT

Boyd, Elaine
Pinetown

Boyd, Joyce L.
Pinetown

Cooper, Cecil
Pantego

Riddle, Rebecca Inez
Pantego

BERTIE

Jernigan, Billy
Aulander

Pierce, Bertha Mae
Merry Hill

BLADEN

Duncan, Bobby
Bladenboro

Duncan, Gary
Bladenboro

Elkins, Peggy Lou
Bladenboro

Meshaw, Ann
Council

BRUNSWICK

Holden, Eddie
Shallotte

Hickman, Lana
Winnabow

Hickman, Tim
Winnabow

Potter, Anne
Southport

BUNCOMBE

Barnwell, Leon
Asheville

Black, Bertha
Asheville

Christopher, Darlene
Candler

Elliott, David
Asheville

Fox, Wayne
Leicester

Harris, Betty
Asheville

Hensley, Deborah C.
Asheville

Lawrence, Glenda
Asheville

Lowe, Kenneth
Candler

Letterman, Larry
West Asheville

Lyda, Edith
Asheville

Marlowe, Anne Sue
Asheville

McAbee, Sandra
Asheville

Moody, Patricia Carole
Candler

Phillips, Nell
Asheville

Phillips, Patsy
Asheville

Rice, Bobby Sue
Asheville

Thomas, John
Weaverville

Waldrup, Lucille
Weaverville

Wilson, Marcella
Asheville

BURKE

Adkins, Sylvia
Morganton

Allen, Beverly June Morganton	Johnson, Anita Faye Morganton	Wilson, James Steven Morganton
Beaver, Paul, Jr. Morganton	Johnson, Joan Carol Morganton	Wilkie, Elaine Morganton
Bowman, Richard Morganton	Joyce, Patty Morganton	CABARRUS
Ballew, Fred Morganton	Kanoy, William Melvin Morganton	Allen, William Preston Concord
Brantley, Nancy Morganton	Leonard, Janice D. Morganton	Kirk, Guy Concord
Brantley, S. Winston Morganton	Long, Tony Glen Alpine	Lisenby, Ann Concord
Brittain, Alice G. Morganton	McKnight, Fredna Morganton	Moss, Roger Kannapolis
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Hawley, Tony
Dunn

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English, Neil
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Poole, Bobbie
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Parson, Frank
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Vale

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Reece, Mary
Lincolnton

Sain, Larry
Lincolnton

Whitesides, Martha
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Mars Hill

McKinney, Melissa
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Shook, Frederick
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Jones, William Roger
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Charlotte

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McDaniel, Judy
Charlotte

Melton, Larry
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McGuirt, Kay
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McCord, Donna
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Simmons, Faye
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Robbins

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Farrow, Jo Ann
Wilmington

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Wilmington

Mathis, Donna Kay
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Rowland

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Pembroke

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Fairmont

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Stoneville

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Draper

Hall, Joey
Mayodan

Hall, Jimmy
Mayodan

Sams, Jimmy Lee
Spray

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Cooley, Diane
Salisbury

Isenhour, Betty Jean
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Isenhour, Linda
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Isenhour, Louise
China Grove

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Roseboro

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Autryville

Rich, Johnny Ray
Garland

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Furr, Wayne
New London

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Albemarle

Little, Donna
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Little, Diane
Albemarle

Little, Worth, Jr.
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Walnut Cove

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Cherokee

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Brevard

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Snipes, Donna Pauline
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VANCE

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Cary

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Garner

Pegram, Marie
Apex

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Raleigh

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Wendell

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Scarboro, Ann
Wendell

Snakenburg, Kay
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Garner

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Raleigh

Yeargan, Frances
Garner

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Boomer

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Wilbar

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Traphill

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N. Wilkesboro

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Wilson

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Lucama

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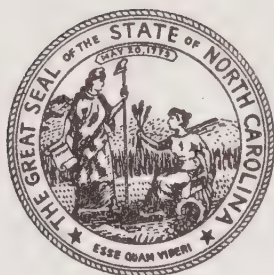


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Letter of Transmittal

His Excellency, Terry Sanford
Governor of North Carolina
Executive Chamber
Raleigh, North Carolina

Dear Sir:

The Board of Directors of the North Carolina School for the Deaf has the honor to transmit to your Excellency its thirty-sixth biennial report, and respectfully asks your careful examination of the condition, progress, and needs of the school.

The members of the Board wish to express their appreciation for your active interest in, and your courteous consideration of, the needs of the School.

Respectfully submitted,
William S. McCord, *Secretary*

July 1, 1962

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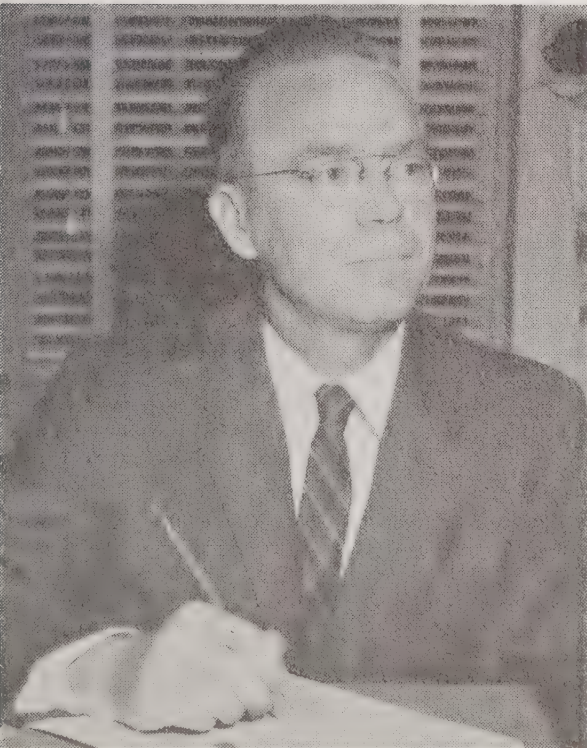
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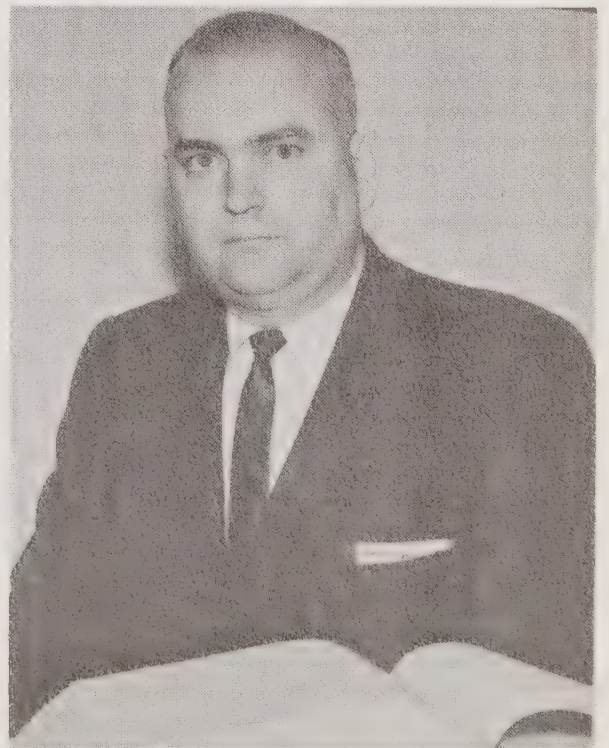
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Letter of Transmittal

Members of the Board:

It is my duty and privilege to submit to you a report on the operation of the School for the years 1960-62.

Significant features of this report are: The Superintendent's Report, The Business Manager's Report, General Information concerning the School and a pictorial section which shows the work of the School in pictures.

It is indeed a pleasure and an honor to submit this report to you.

Respectfully submitted,

Ben E. Hoffmeyer, *Superintendent*



OUR SYMBOL OF LIFE: THE CLOCK TOWER
has been there since the day the School opened on
"Vine Hill"; its clock faces point to the next thing
to be done; its beautiful symmetry is a memory
that goes with us wherever we go.



His Excellency, Terry Sanford
Governor of North Carolina

General Information

The North Carolina School for the Deaf at Morganton is a state supported residential school for the deaf. It is the only school for the deaf in North Carolina for white children. It is located on a campus of approximately 75-acres. This campus is surrounded by farm lands that belong to the School. There is a total of 387 acres of land located on the southern limits of Morganton. The School also owns 500 acres in the South Mountains and this is the water shed area for the School.

Physical facilities include twelve buildings and ten residences. Ample playground and athletic facilities are available.

It is the purpose of this school to provide an educational program for boys and girls, who because of profound or partial deafness, are unable to profit by the instruction given in schools for hearing children. The course of instruction is intended to furnish the deaf child with as much academic subject matter as he can absorb. An Academic High School Course is offered, plus an extensive program in Vocational Education. Graduates are generally qualified in one vocation, and either get employment or go on to college at Gallaudet College, Washington, D. C. Gallaudet is the only college for the deaf in the world.

Approximately fourteen years are required to complete the high school course. Students are admitted when they are five years of age. The class size ranges from 8 to 11 per class. Individual instruction is required to establish speech and lip-reading for the deaf child. Individual hearing aids are used by those who have a remnant of hearing. Powerful classroom group hearing aids are installed in twenty-two classrooms.

Pupils are grouped by achievement and age into three distinct departments: Primary School, Middle School and Upper School. Each department has a supervising teacher. The Principal is over all instruction, including Vocational Training and Physical Education.

The School considers Sunday School work part of its responsibility and all children attend. Sunday School is taught

by the teachers. Approximately one-fifth are on duty each Sunday. Church service is held for children 12 years of age and over. Missionaries for the deaf preach a non-denominational sermon and use the sign language.

APPLICATIONS AND ADMISSIONS

Applications and request for information should be addressed to the Superintendent.

Children are admitted at five years of age and above. Medical records must show that the child has a hearing loss severe enough to prevent him from attending public school. A child must have mental capacity adequate to be considered educable. Generally an Intelligence Quotient of 70 is required. Transfers from public school can be made at any time, if the child is not making progress due to a hearing loss.

FEEES

No tuition, room or board is charged since the School is a part of the free public school system. A school fee of \$25.00 per year, per child, is charged to cover school supplies and student activity fee.

Staff and Faculty — Biennium 1960-62

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 Mrs. Mary B. Tuttle, B. A.
 Mrs. Evelyn W. Watson, B. S.
 Mrs. Ann B. Walton, B. A.

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Miss Emmie Lou Mace	Head Counselor, Goodwin Hall
Miss Deffie E. Freeman	Head Counselor, Rankin Hall
Miss June M. Brown	Head Counselor, Rankin Hall
Dr. W. H. Patton, Jr.	School Physician
Dr. Ralph Coffey	School Dentist (part-time and on call)
Dr. Edw. W. Phifer	School Surgeon (part-time and on call)
Miss Alice Roberta Wylie, R. N.	School Nurse
Miss Hazel N. Glenn	Assistant Practical Nurse
Mrs. Hazel Pritchard	Practical Nurse
Mrs. Lillian V. Houck, B. S.	Head Dietitian
Mrs. Elizabeth Rusmisell	Food Service Supervisor, Goodwin Hall
Mrs. Mary Tessner	Food Service Supervisor, Rankin Hall
Mrs. Fannie Brackett	Food Service Supervisor, Hoffmeyer Hall
Fred F. Rusmisell	Plant Engineer
C. L. Street	Head, Laundry Department

Superintendent's Report

As Superintendent of the North Carolina School for the Deaf, I herewith submit the Thirty-sixth Biennial Report for the North Carolina School for the Deaf.

This school has had a gradual increase in enrollment and the enrollment has reached 532 which makes it the largest residential school for the deaf in the United States.

The biennium of 1960-62 features a successful move to establish a new Eastern School for the Deaf. The 1961 Legislature passed Senate Bill 300, a bill entitled: "An Act to Incorporate and Establish the Eastern North Carolina School for the Deaf." The funds for activating the school were included in a bond issue which failed. The Legislature of 1963 is being requested to appropriate funds for the school which is scheduled to open in 1964.

Senate Bill 300 provided for an eleven member Board of Directors to control the North Carolina School for the Deaf at Morganton and the new Eastern School. The bill stipulated that the Board, with the approval of the Governor, would select a site for the new school. A site at Wilson, North Carolina, was offered and due to the fact that the land was state owned and was centrally located in the East, the site was approved. A four-year accredited college, Atlantic Christian College of Wilson, agreed to affiliate with the new school for a future Teacher Training Program. This was considered an important factor in selecting a suitable site for the school.

The new school will enable parents of deaf children in the eastern part of North Carolina to see their children more often and will relieve the over crowded situation at Morganton. A school population of 500 is considered a maximum load in the education of the deaf.

The North Carolina School for the Deaf in affiliation with Lenoir Rhyne College was approved for three federal scholarships to train teachers of the deaf. Each scholarship paid tuition, plus \$1600 per student for the last year of college.

The Teacher Training Program enables the school to have a full staff of trained teachers; one of only a few schools that has this desirable situation. Approximately ten trainees are trained each year.

A new Gymtorium for the Middle School was granted by the 1959 Legislature and built during the 1960-62 Biennium. This facility greatly enhances the Physical Education program and the Social program for the children in the 8 to 12 year old group.

Appropriations were adequate to improve the general maintenance of the plant and to make various campus improvements.

The North Carolina School for the Deaf is rated high nationally and has an excellent record in preparing students for college and for employment. The per capita cost is approximately thirty-eighth in the nation.

I consider it an honor to serve the state and the deaf of North Carolina.

Respectfully submitted,

Ben E. Hoffmeyer, *Superintendent*

Departmental Reports

Household Life

Dedicated employees who take care of the children in the dormitories are hard to find, because the hours are long and the duty confining. Living in is required which limits the number of applicants. This is especially true of men for the boys' dormitory.

During the last biennium we were granted an additional night counselor for each dormitory, and that has helped in the overall safety and care of the children. We were also granted two additional counselors for the school year 1962-63 due to the steady increase in enrollment to more than 500 students which warranted this encrease in houseparents. Counselors still must work for 50 to 52 hours per week. Additional relief counselors to cut hours to 44 per week, would of course, help in securing high type personnel for houseparents.

A Dean of Students who gives his full-time to the supervision of house parents and the dormitories was employed and he has proven to be a valuable asset to the program.

Dietary

The aim of the dietary department is to serve students and staff who live in, a well-balanced diet which comes within the budget. This has been successfully accomplished. It will be necessary to request a reasonable increase in the food budget for the coming biennium to meet the rising costs and a steadily rising enrollment.

The Farm was discontinued which reflected as a raise in the food budget, since milk is now purchased from Broughton Hospital and meat is purchased through contract with private meat packing companies.

Health

The 1960-62 Biennium has found the students in remarkably good health. Epidemics of colds and such have been kept

down to a minimum among the children, and the Infirmary has operated well under the direction of Dr. W. H. Patton, Jr., School Physician. The \$14,000 appropriated for the remodeling the bathrooms, electric and plumbing facilities at the Infirmary and for putting vinyl asbestos tile on the floors accomplished this purpose, and the infirmary is now a much more modern and better arranged building. Other improvements are needed, but it is felt that they can wait for some months. The money provided for a maid to help keep the building clean has also proven a wonderful aid to the nurses and doctors and gives them more free time for caring for sick children.

All parents receive the following notice regarding medical care in a general letter sent to them at the beginning of each school year by the Superintendent:

State law requires the following inoculations and/or vaccines before entrance: 1. Diphthria, 2. Tetanus, 3. Whooping Cough, 4. Smallpox and 5. Polio (all shots completed) If tonsils and adenoids need removing it must be done at home. Any other operations are to be done at home unless they are emergencies arising at the school, then the parent is contacted and requested to come to the school and make hospital arrangements if possible. Eyes are to be examined and glasses fitted if needed before coming to school. Teeth examined, and all dental work done before entrance. In emergencies only does the school have glasses fitted and dental work done, then parents are responsible for the bills.

The School has an Infirmary for the care of minor sickness. There is no charge to parents for this service or for drugs used, except especially prescribed drugs. If a child is sick enough to go to the town hospital, parents must take care of his expenses there, just as they would have to do if the child lived at home. If a parent does not wish a child to play certain games, the Superintendent should be notified in writing. The School assumes no responsibility for injuries sustained in games. It does exercise every possible precaution.

Maintenance Department

The Maintenance Department under the direction of Engineer Fred Rusmisell has accomplished with its own force more than we even hoped they could do in the way of general upkeep, and painting. The grounds have also been greatly improved in the last biennium.

Farm (Discontinued)

The Farm Operation was discontinued as of January 1962. The dairy herd was transferred to Broughton Hospital. The farm land is now leased to Broughton Hospital. The two state farms join each other for approximately one-fourth a mile so that combining the two farms was the economical thing to do. The new arrangement is to the advantage of both agencies and is working very satisfactorily.

Laundry Department

Due to increased enrollment this department has been enlarged somewhat in the past biennium. Under the management of Mr. C. L. Street it has turned out good work and is now fully meeting the needs of the institution. Equipment in general is adequate. This department is considered semi-vocational as a part of students training.

Report of the Business Manager

Summary Statement of State Appropriated Funds Biennium 1960-62

	1960-61	1961-62
Maintenance:		
Appropriation:		
Maintenance and Operation	\$ 894,397.00	\$1,097,152.00
Institutional Receipts	65,780.83	77,810.38
Total Availability	\$ 960,177.83	\$1,174,962.38

Expenditures:

Maintenance and Operation	\$ 873,961.80	\$1,107,556.36
Total Expenditures	873,961.80	1,107,556.36
Unexpended Balance	86,216.03	67,406.02

Permanent Improvement:

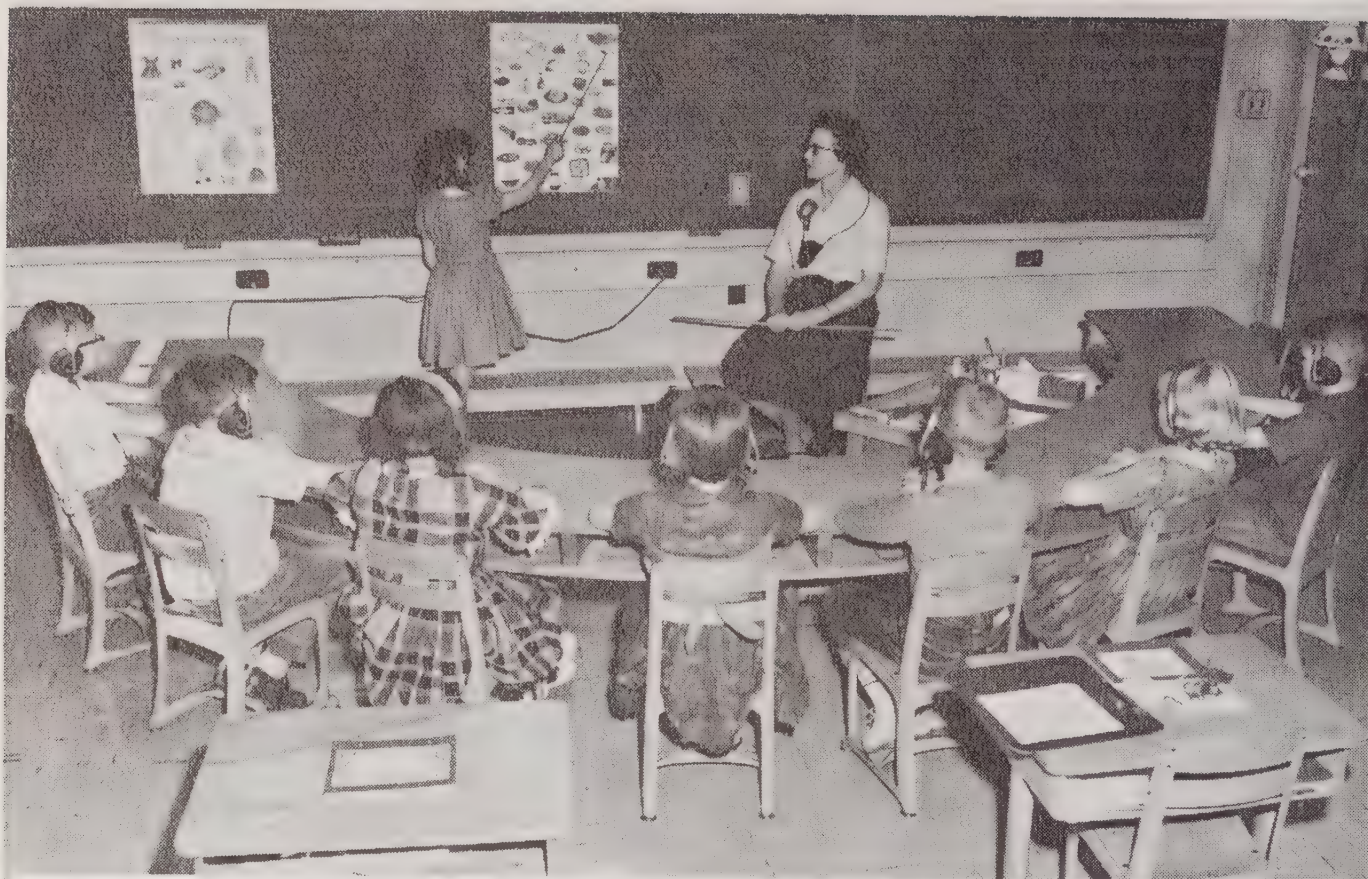
Appropriation:		
Code 65747	\$ 395,200.00	\$ 395,200.00
Code 65787	300,000.00	300,000.00
Code 65938	191,700.00	191,700.00
Receipts	175,262.33	201,689.53
Total Availability	\$1,062,162.33	\$1,088,589.53

Expenditures:

All Codes	\$ 960,477.54	\$1,052,697.85
Unexpended Balance, June 30	\$ 101,684.79	\$ 35,891.68

Pictorial Section





ABOVE—A group hearing aid helps in both lipreading and speech in training the deaf.
BELOW—A happy dormitory life is very important. Here students relax before bedtime.



ABOVE—Rankin Hall children let off excess energy at their play ground activity period.
BELOW—Self-reliance teaching starts early. Students help clear tables after a meal.



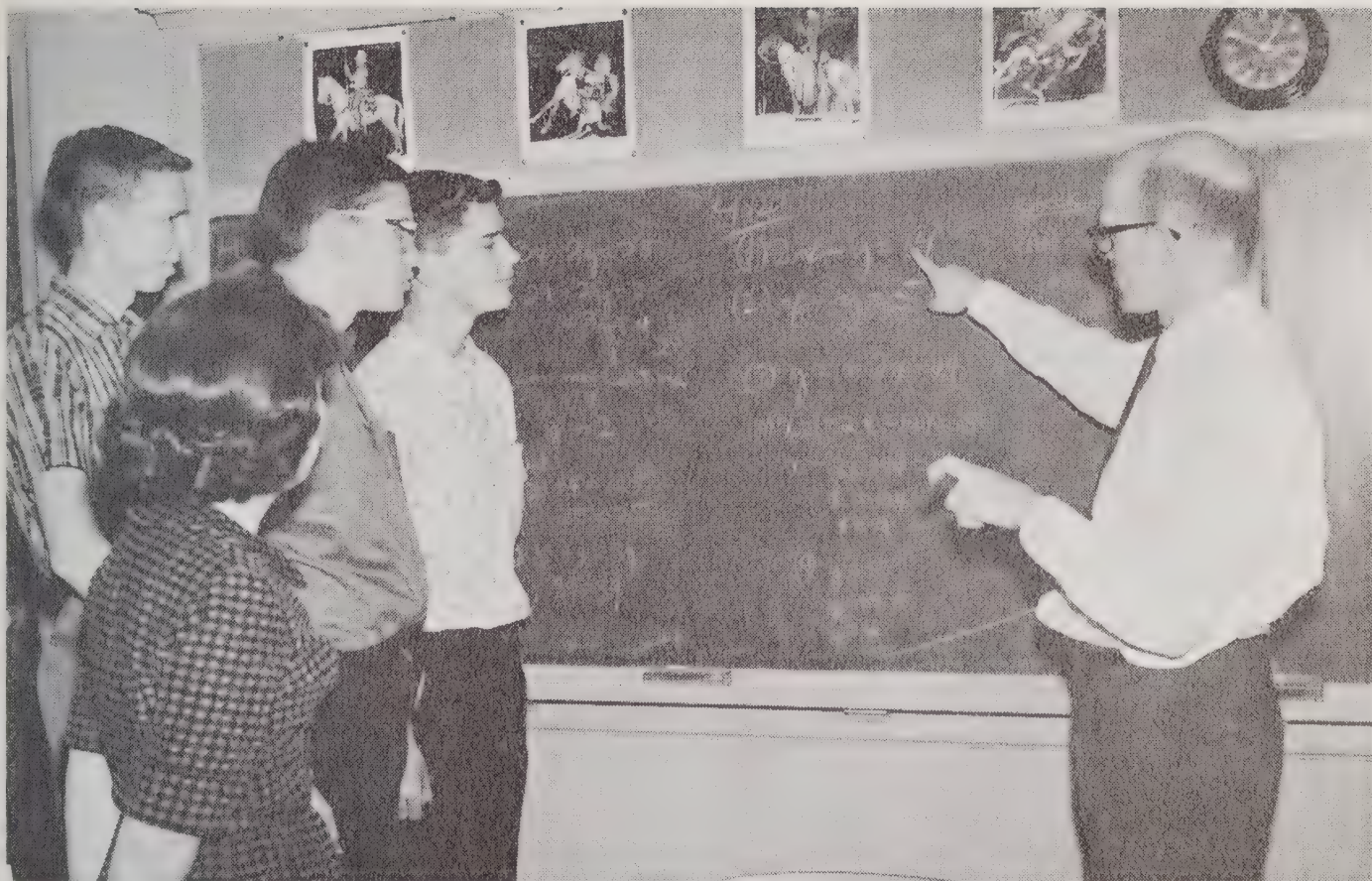
ABOVE—Joiner Hall children find fun in team sports. This is the girls basketball team.
BELOW—Boys team. Uniforms for the teams were furnished by the Parents' Association.



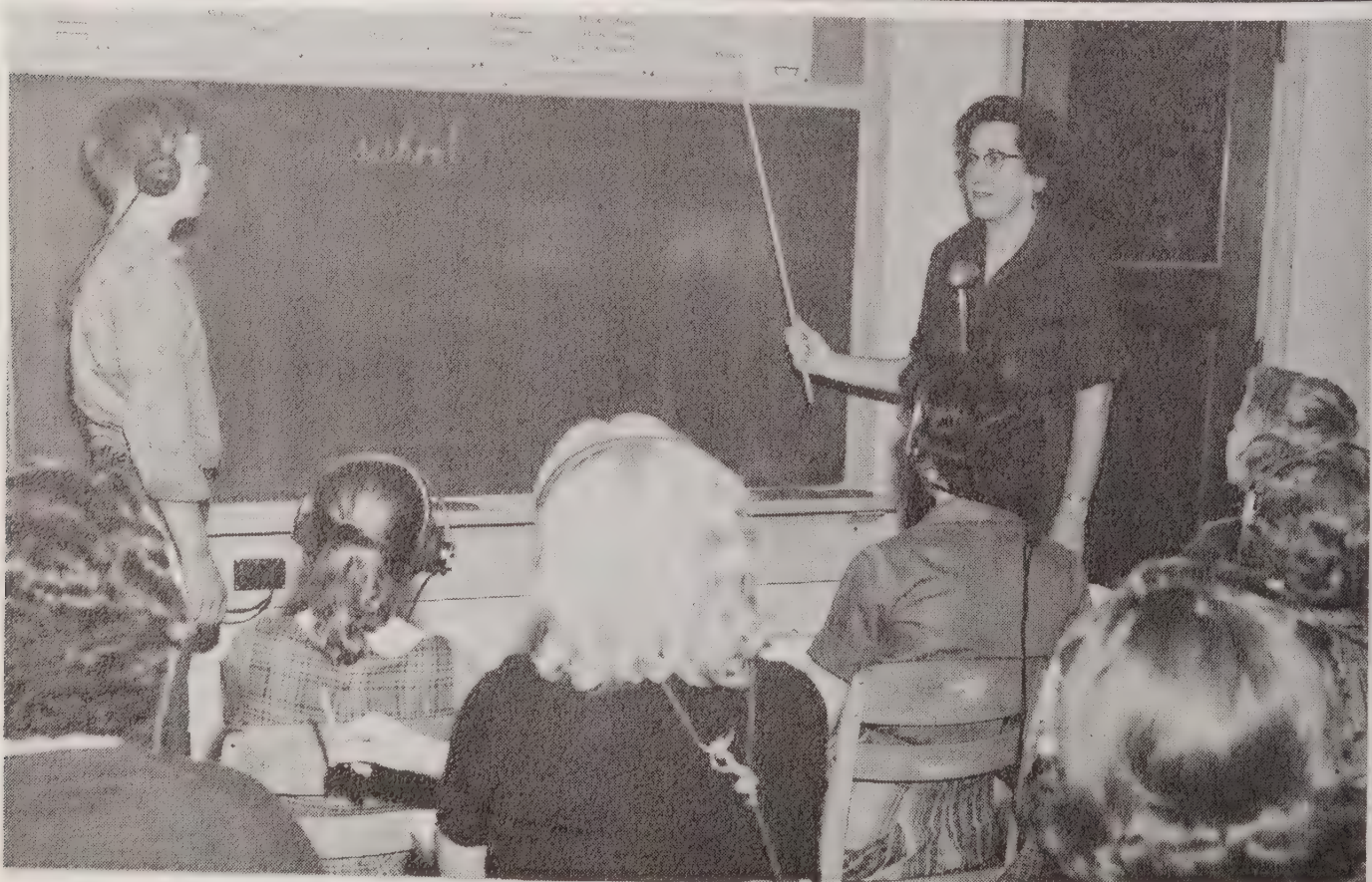
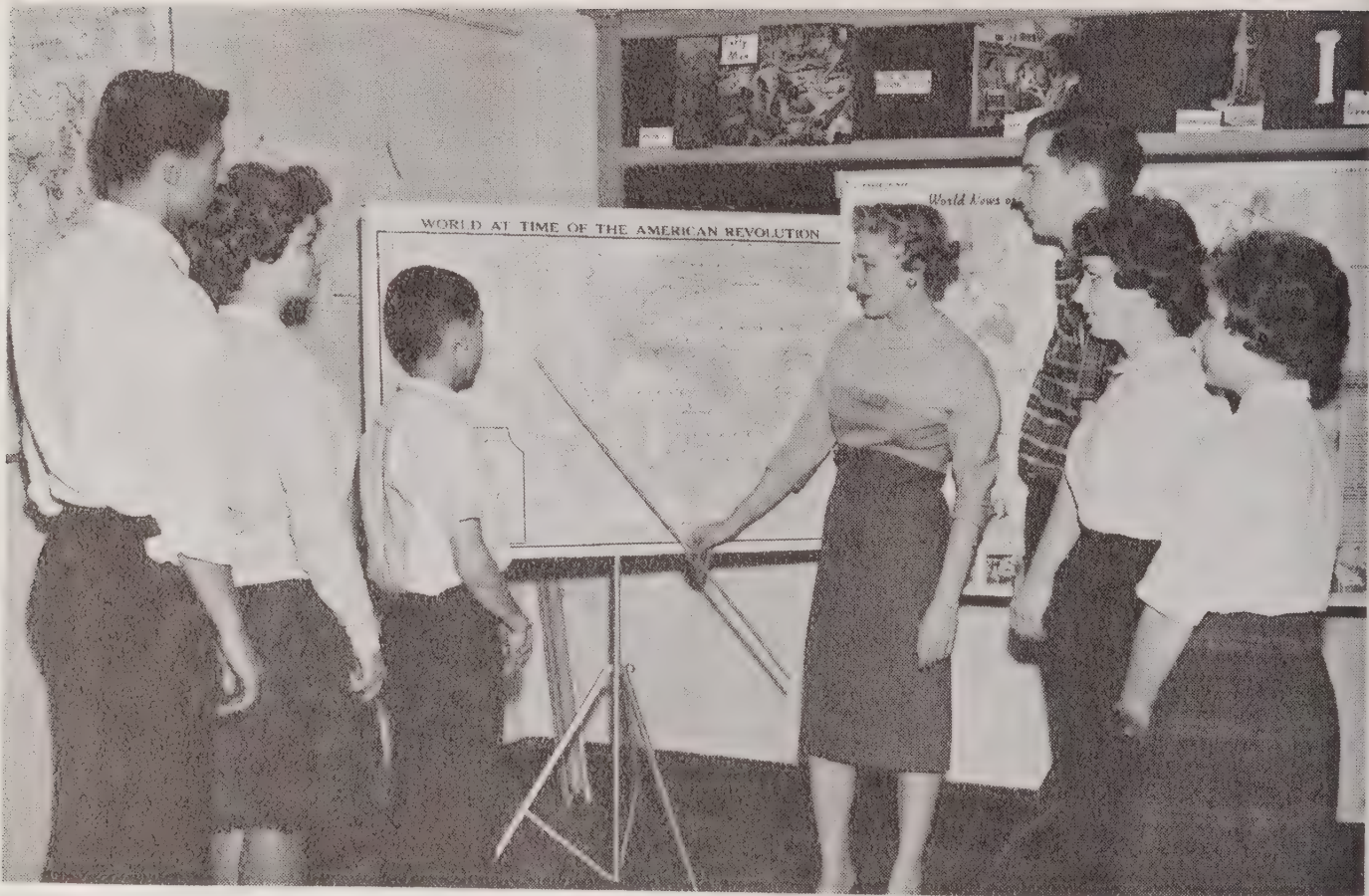
SCOUTING—An important part of student life on the campus. A full program is offered.



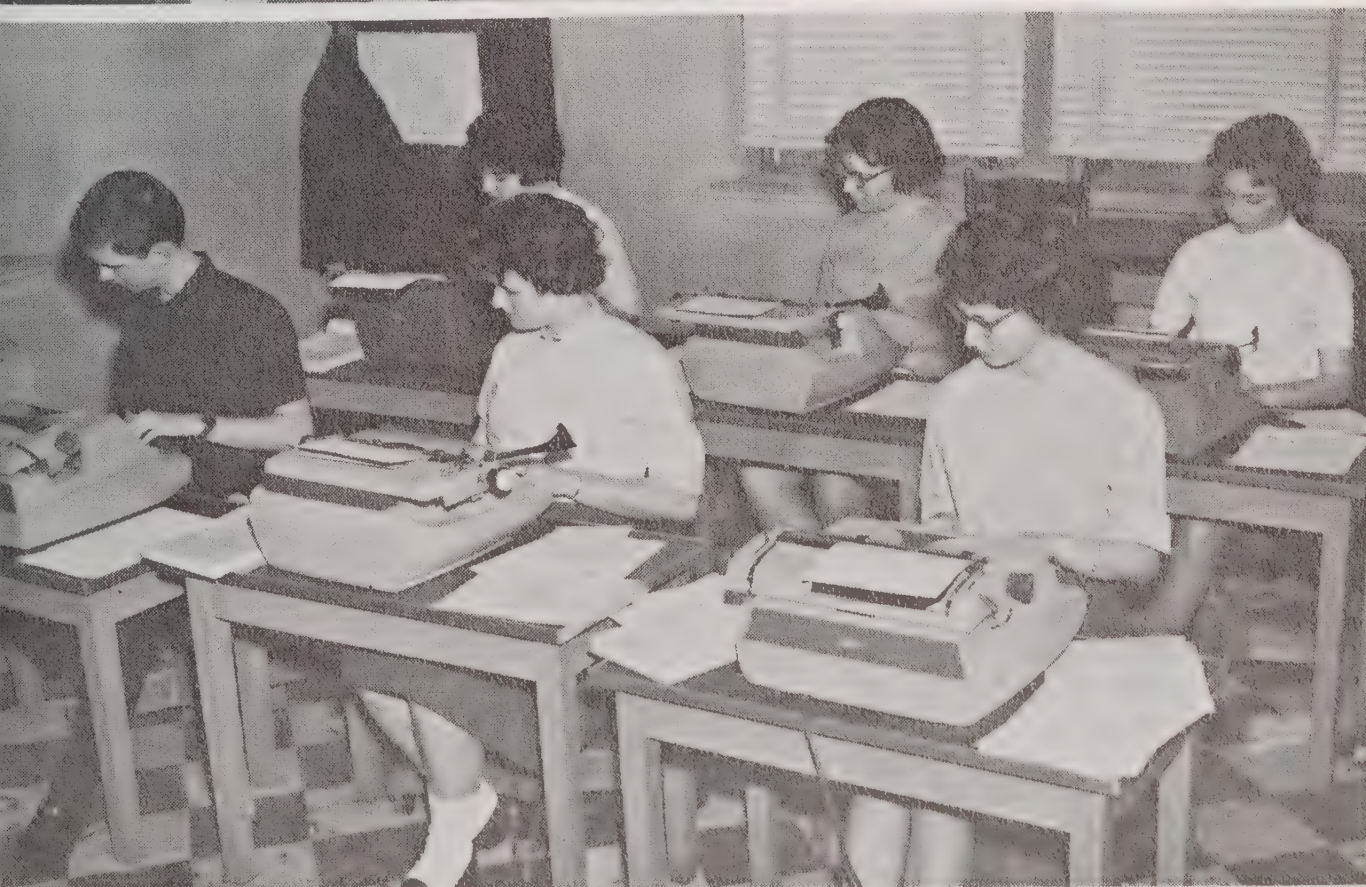
ABOVE—Scouts stand at attention and salute, at flag raising ceremonies at Joiner Hall.
BELOW—The art of knot tying is one phase of scouting that is started at an early age.



ABOVE—These high school students are straining to find the unknown factor in algebra.
BELOW—These students are busy with an experiment in the science laboratory.



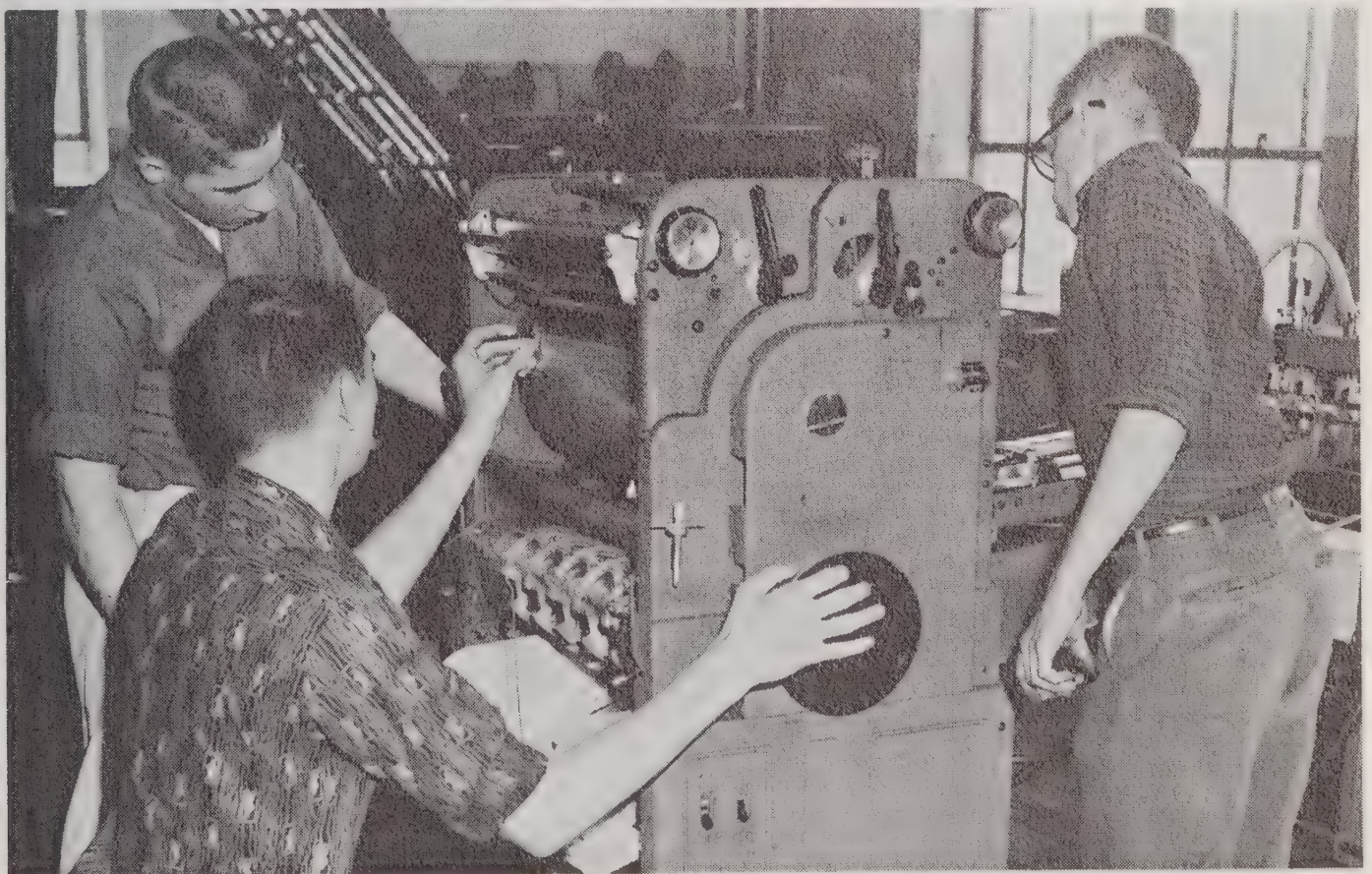
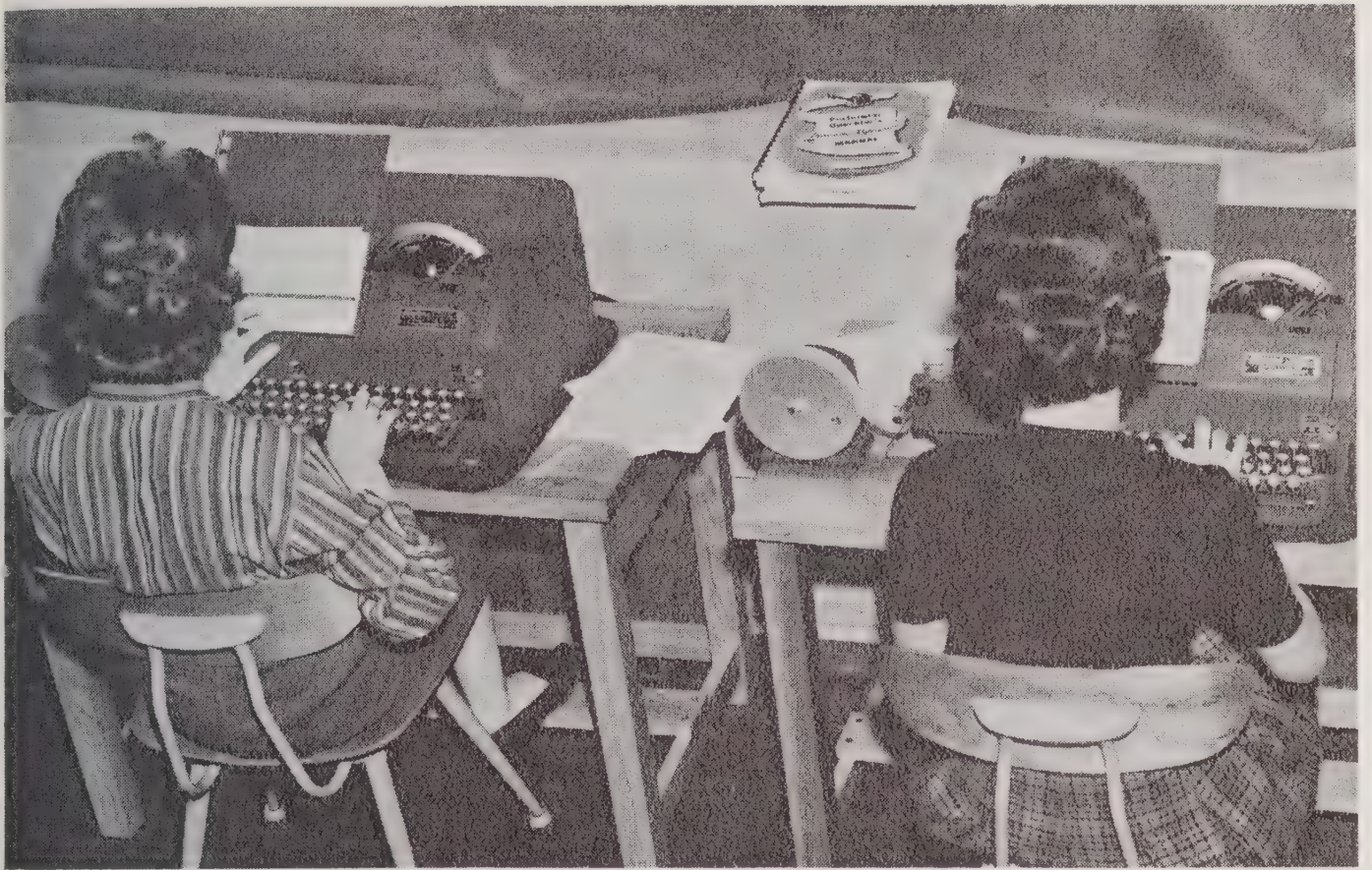
ABOVE—Instruction is built around visual aids. Film clips and slides are used often.
BELOW—Language for the deaf child requires skilled teachers and long hours of drill.



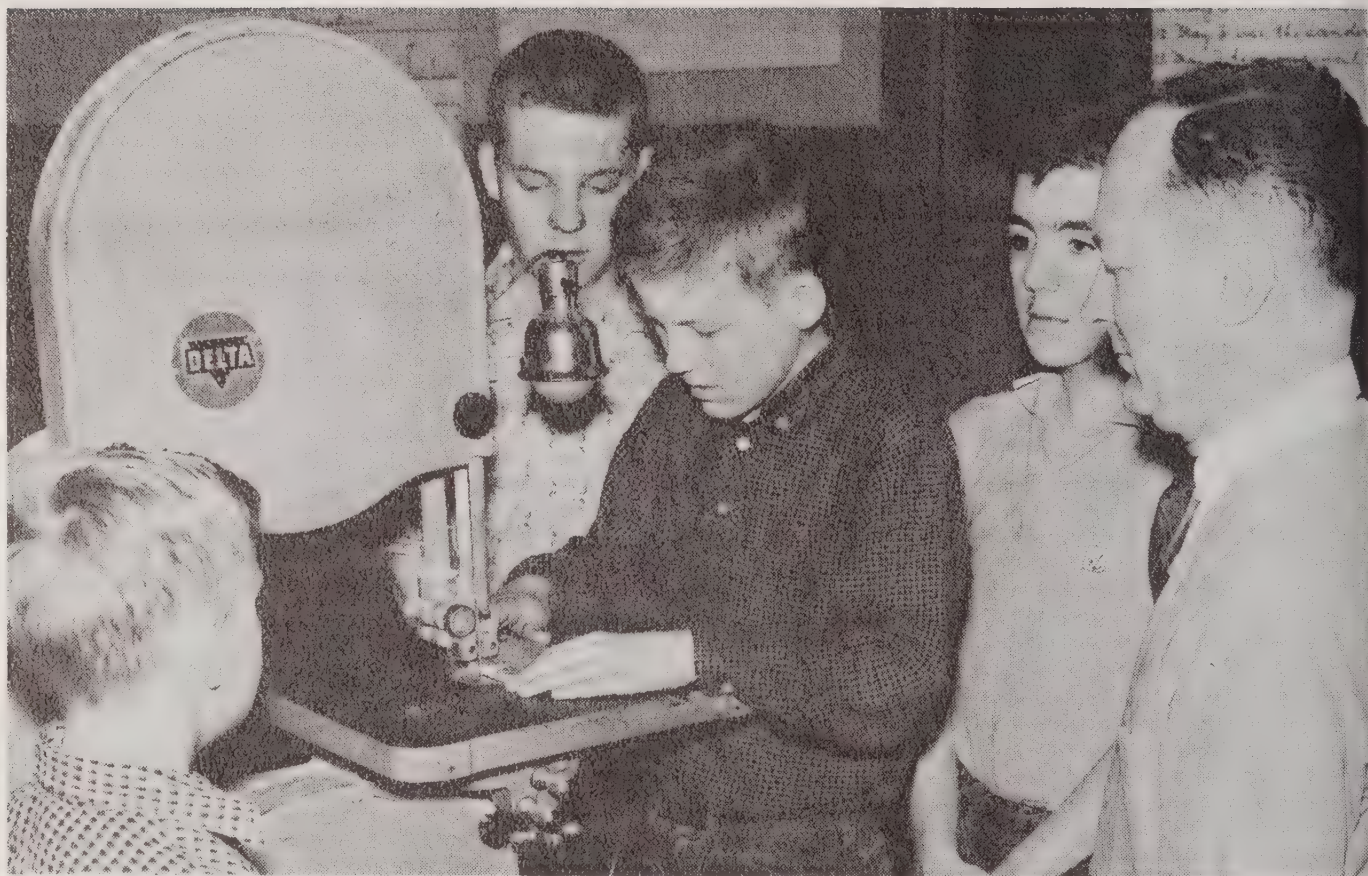
ABOVE—Students are encouraged to read and use the library as much as possible.
BELOW—Typing and business machine operation is offered to both boys and girls.



ABOVE—Auto Body Repair is a new shop. Students start refinishing this wrecked car.
BELOW—Finishing touches are being put on two pieces of furniture in the Wood Shop.



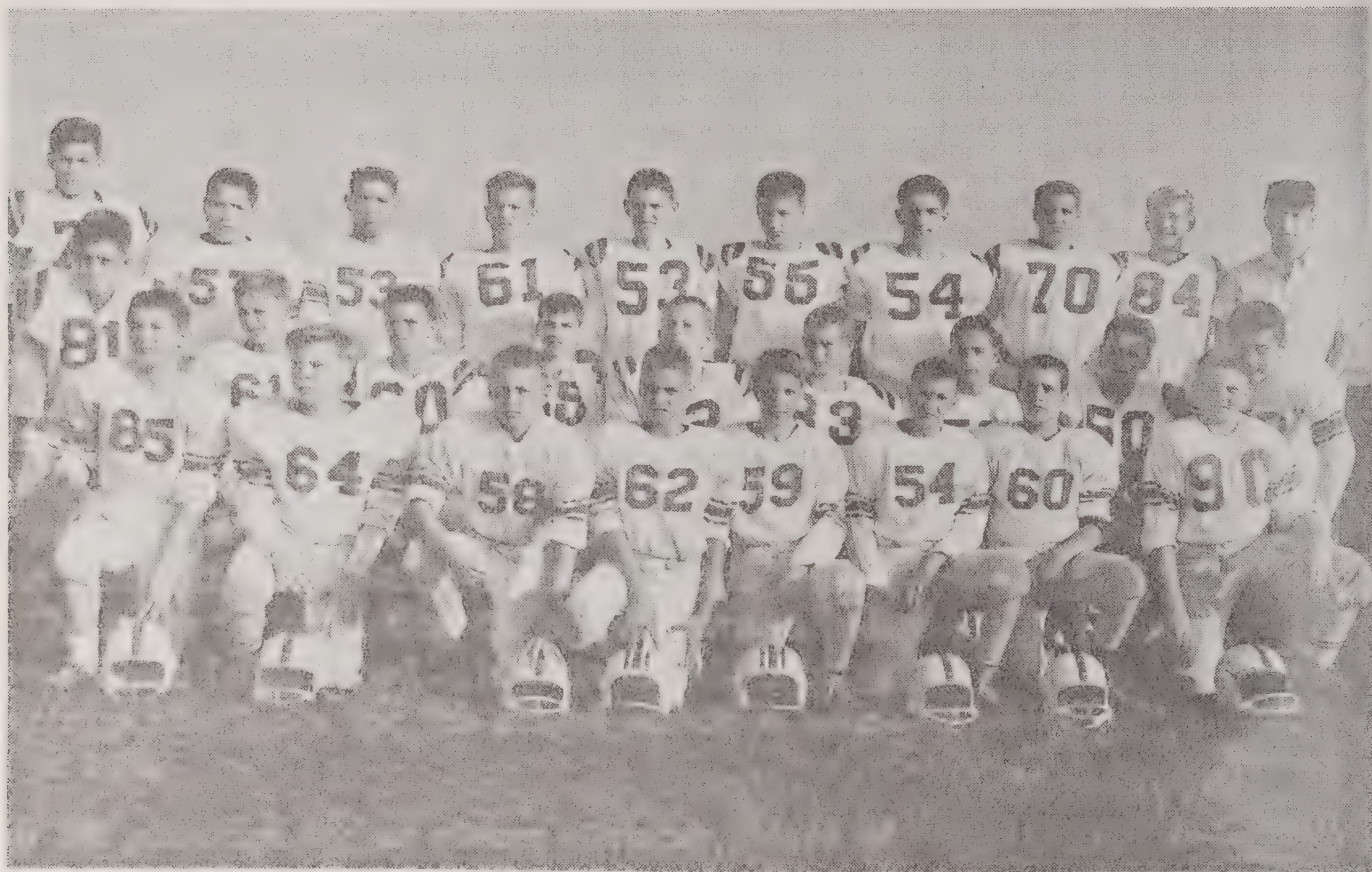
ABOVE—Teletypesetter perforator operation is offered for the first time in printing.
BELOW—Students clean the new offset press. The print shop does printing for the school.



ABOVE—Vocational training teaches students to use their hands and is very important.
BELOW—The shoe shop teaches a useful trade and also repairs all shoes on the campus.



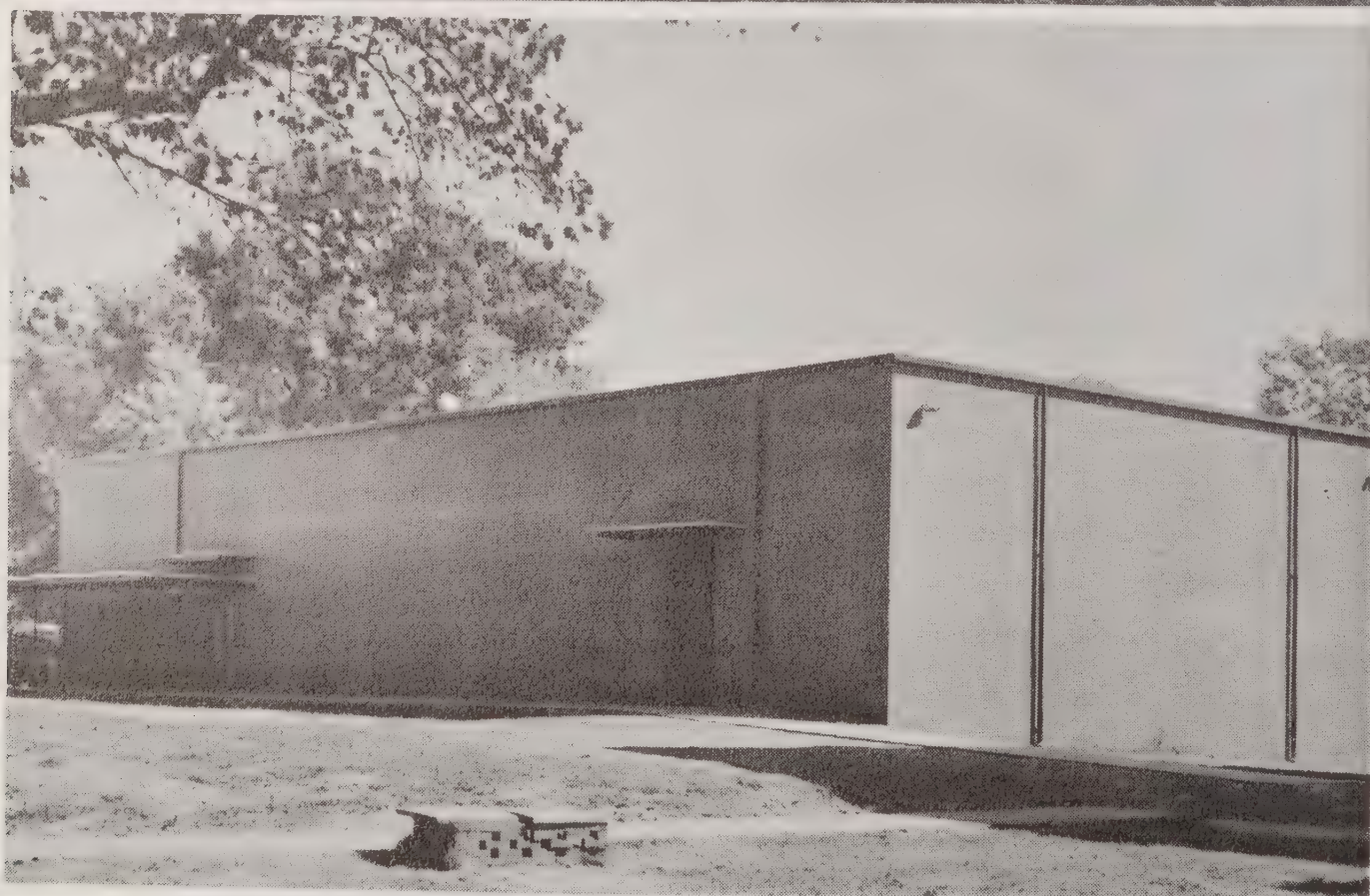
ABOVE—The Pep Squad cheers for all athletic events. Homecoming was this occasion.
BELOW—Homecoming is a big day at N. C. S. D. Pictured is the Queen and attendants.



ABOVE—The 8th grade football team offers valuable experience in team competition.
BELOW—The varsity football team has an outstanding record for the past several years.



ABOVE—The Teacher Training class of 1962-63. The school has about ten trainees a year.
BELOW—Mr. Denton, Dean of Students, conducts informal discussion with students.



ABOVE—Hoffmeyer Hall a modern dormitory for boys' was put in use in the fall of 1959.
BELOW—The new Gymtorium at Joiner Hall has added greatly to the facilities there.

Roll of Graduating Students — 1960-62

(The following students either graduated or withdrew from school)

ACADEMIC DIPLOMAS — June 2, 1961

Autrey, Peggy Lee	Long, Carrie Lee
Boone, Frank Douglas	Moss, Shelba Blondell
Furr, Gerald Wayne	Mullis, Barbara Lee
Gibbs, Betty Sue	Patterson, Saul Brooks
Gobble, Edward McKall	Schiretz, Frank
Hailey, Philip Calvin	Setzer, Nancy Jane
Helms, Martha Ann	Whitesides, Martha Ann
Howell, Charles Richard	Wright, Hal Wayne
Hull, Darrell Gene	Zimmerman, Donald Alton
Wallace, Mary Cordelia	

CERTIFICATES OF ATTENDANCE — June 2, 1961

Moody, Patricia Carole	Rice, Bobby Sue
Stepp, Betty Lou	

VOCATIONAL DIPLOMAS — June 2, 1961

Bradley, Jacob William	London, Floyd William
Barrett, William Lawrence	Ray, Maurice
Elliott, David Allen	Riddle, Winford Knox
Handy, Garland Raymond	Smoot, James Gilbert
Johnson, Harold Cling	Stewart, Donald Ray
Leonard, Janice Marie	Umphlett, Dewey Ervin

Students leaving during the school year ended June 2, 1961:

Agner, Tonda	Hegler, Larry
Barber, Butch	McDaniel, Judy
Bowman, Shirley	Oxendine, Curtis
Braxton, Debra Marlene	Radmall, Stephen
Chittenden, King	Sisk, Paul
Clayton, Phyllis	Sparks, Judy J.
Clayton, Carol	Trantham, Lynn
Dancey, James Carl	Vosloh, Mike
Fulton, Katherine O.	Yelverton, Diana
Kirby, Susan	Collie, Ronnie (deseased)

(The above withdrew for various reasons)

June 6, 1962

Academic and Vocational Diplomas were awarded to the following:

Caligan, Ella Mary Louise	Waldrup, Norma Lucile
Helms, Larry Albert	Webb, Mary Alice
McCord, William Samuel, III	Williamson, James Barnett, Jr.
Scarboro, Robert Lee, Jr.	Wood, Judy Gail

June 6, 1962

Vocational Diplomas only were awarded to the following:

Andrews, Barbara Marie	Hickman, Tim Monroe
Ballew, Louise	Keeling, Mary Frances
Caudle, Martha Ruth	Lewis, Mildred D.
Fox, Wayne Cornelius	Pegram, Mary Elizabeth
Harris, Judy Leonne	Pierce, Bertha Mae

Vocational Certificates were awarded to the following:

Jones, Marjorie Ruth	Williamson, Carol
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Students leaving during the school year ended June 6, 1962:

Bunell, Sylvia	Arnette, Clayton
Elkin, Peggy Lou	Bruce, Roger *
Marlow, Annie Sue	Williams, James
Bledsoe, Martha	Evans, Johnny Ray
Graves, Darlene	Faircloth, Douglas *
Watson, Annie Lee	Jackson, James Jerry
Daniels, Glenda Mae	Pennell, John D.
Knott, Waymond Dale	Rochester, Joe
Hamerick, John B. *	Britt, Tommy *
Howard, Cynthia	Pipkin, Sue *
Short, Diane *	McMinn, Karen *
Powell, Mary Elaine	McKinney, Mike *
Sinka, Damian	McKinney, Melissa *

Cannon, Douglas, IV.

(Children whose names have (*) are to return in the fall of 1962; chiefly at home because of prolonged sickness). Those whose names are not marked have transferred to other schools, or were sent home for other reasons, and will not return.

TEACHER TRAINEES GRADUATING

June 2, 1961

Miss Helen Carolyn Arnall	Mrs. Betty C. Smith Mull
Mrs. Mary Louise C. McCombs	Mrs. Jane R. Taylor
Mrs. Evelyn W. Watson	

TEACHER TRAINEES GRADUATING

June 6, 1962

Mrs. Ella Wolfe H. Billings	Mrs. Jean Carolyn S. Arney
David M. Denton	Joe Lee Buckner
Mrs. Mary Hotchkiss	Mrs. Minnie W. Buckner
Mrs. Helen S. Hunt	Miss Geraldine Augusta Ball
Mrs. Marilyn H. Lingerfelt	Preston L. Jones
Donald K. Poteat	Mrs. Kay B. Bennett
Miss Camilla Simpson	Mrs. Barbara W. Digh
Miss Caroline Elizabeth Padgett	

Student Enrollment — Biennium 1960-62

ALAMANCE

McGee, Kay Yvonne
Graham

Shepherd, Wayne M.
Burlington

Farrell, Randy D.
Burlington

Small, Jeanette
Burlington

Hawkins, L. Catherine
Burlington

Loy, Gregory Dalton
Burlington

ALEXANDER

May, Tommy
Taylorsville

ALLEGHANY

Delp, Jack N.
Laurel Springs

Tolley, Ronnie O.
Sparta

ANSON

Caligan, Ellamary L.
Wadesboro

ASHE

Bledsoe, Billy .R
Fleetwood

Bledsoe, Martha J.
Fleetwood

Cooper, Rebecca
West Jefferson

Darnell, Jaunita
Glendale Springs

Williams, Sandra
West Jefferson

AVERY

Arnett, Clayton
Banner Elk

Biddix, Alanna G.
Crossnore

BEAUFORT

Cooper, Cecil M.
Pantego

Boyd, Elaine
Pinetown

Pipkin, Sue
Aurora

Riddle, Becky
Washington

BERTIE

Jernigan, Billy
Aulander

Pierce, Bertha Mae
Merry Hill

BLADEN

Elkins, Peggy Lou
Bladenboro

Merritt, Larry
White Oak

Meshaw, Ann
Council

BRUNSWICK

Hickman, Tim M.
Winnabow

Hickman, Lana
Winnabow

Holden, Eddie
Shallotte

Potter, Anne
Southport

BUNCOMBE

Black, Bertha
Asheville

Barnwell, Leon
Asheville

Bouthot, David A.
Asheville

Christopher, Darlene
Chandler

Fox, Wayne
Leicester

Gasque, Joyce
W. Asheville

Hensley, Deborah C.
Asheville

Harris, Betty
Asheville

Jamison, Nancy
W. Asheville

Lawrence, Glendia M.
Asheville

Marlowe, Annie Sue
Asheville

Letterman, Larry
W. Asheville

Lowe, Kenneth
Candler

Phillips, Nell
Asheville

Phillips, Patsy Ann
Asheville

McAbee, Sandra Louise
Asheville

Sams, Edith Lyda
Asheville

Thomas, John L.
Weaverville

Wilson, Marcella
Asheville

Waldrup, Norma Lucile
Weaverville

Wilson, J. Stephen
Asheville

BURKE

Allen, Beverly June
Morganton

Adkins, Sylvia Arlene
Morganton

Brantley, Winston
Morganton

Brantley, Nancy
Morganton

Brown, Georganne K.
Morganton

Bowman, Richard
Morganton

Gregory, Beverly
Morganton

Clontz, Delores M.
Morganton

Carpenter, Johnny
Morganton

Cooke, Dee
Morganton

Cooper, Cathy
Morganton

Cutshaw, Betty Jean
Morganton

Dover, Steven B.
Morganton

Dover, Vicki
Morganton

Joyce, Patty E.
Morganton

Fletcher, Susan Chris
Morganton

Fletcher, Herman
Morganton

Greene, Helen
Morganton

Gibbs, Mary Lucile
Morganton

Gibbs, Jimmy
Morganton

Hoglen, Pamela Kay
Morganton

Hendrix, David
Morganton

Johnson, Joan
Morganton

Johnson, Anita
Morganton

Kanoy, Billy
Morganton

Long, Tony
Glen Alpine

Leonard, Janice
Morganton

Patton, Mary Lynn
Morganton

McGee, Kenneth
Morganton

Meinke, Betty Jill
Morganton

Monroe, Terri Ellen
Morganton

McKnight, Fredna
Morganton

Mitchell, Jack W.
Morganton

Medley, Mary Lois
Morganton

Mercer, Wayne
Morganton

Murphy, Steve
Morganton

Parris, Marion L., Jr.
Morganton

Poteat, Randy
Morganton

Turner, Shirley
Valdese

Stewart, Jerry
Morganton

Sisk, Gerald C.
Morganton

Sechrest, Joy
Morganton

Setzer, Eva Ray
Morganton

Nance, Thomas
Morganton

Wilkie, Elaine
Morganton

CABARRUS

Allen, William Preston
Concord

Kirk, Guy T.
Concord

Lisenby, Paula Ann
Concord

Moss, Roger Dale
Kannapolis

Shimpock, Herman, Jr.
Concord

Snipes, Larry
Concord

Williams, James
Kannapolis

CALDWELL

Carver, Wm. Ray
Granite Falls

Eller, Virginia Yvonne
Lenoir

Eller, Christine
Lenoir

Goble, Dick
Hudson

Houch, Terry Lee
Lenoir

Kirby, Susan
Granite Falls

Martin, Jeffrey Allen
Caldwell

Pennell, John David
Lenoir

Phillips, Peggy Lee
Lenoir

Setzer, Kenneth Eugene
Hudson

Triplett, Larry
Lenoir

Thompson, Billy
Lenoir

Watson, Jess
Granite Falls

CARTERET

Robinson, Barbara A.
Marshallberg

CASWELL

Oakley, Robert
Prospect Hill

Oakley, Shirley L.
Prospect Hill

Oakley, Wayne Nelson
Prospect Hill

Yarborough, Marvin
(Lives in Caswell
County, N. C. Mail
address: Danville, Va.

CATAWBA

Bowman, Charles Eric
Newton

Bowman, James Wesley
Hickory

Cook Ronda
Hickory

Emmett, Sue
Hickory

Emmett, Charles Lynn
Hickory

Emmett, Patsy
Hickory

Frye, David
Hickory

Hill, Louis Lynn
Hickory

Melvin, William Ed, Jr.
Conover

Norwood, Donald E.
Newton

Pitts, Patricia
Hickory

Reeves, Donnie
Hickory

Snow, Melba
Hickory

Snow, Wayne
Hickory

Setzer, Ruby Gail
Hickory

Sigmon, Joyce Ann
Hickory

Stephens, Hal
Hickory

CHATHAM

Neal, Ronald
Pittsboro

Roberts, Mike
Bonlee

Stout, Claude
Pittsboro

CHEROKEE

Sneed, Patricia Ann
Murphy

CHOWAN
Keeter, Lewis
Edenton

Jordan, Deborah
Edenton

CLAY

Owen, John Nelson

CLEVELAND

Click, Billy
Shelby

Dunn, Richard
Kings Mountain

Horton, Debra Lynn
Kings Mountain

Hicks, Boyd E., Jr.
Shelby

Hamrick, John B., Jr.
Shelby

Page, Tom Roy
Shelby

Proctor, Wanda
Lawndale

Wilson, Shery Dawn
Kings Mountain

COLUMBUS

Cook, Bobby Joe
Chadbourn

Milligan, Marion
Chadbourn

Rockewell, Kay
Whiteville

Stephens, Nell E.
Hallsboro

Ward, Edmund, Jr.
Clarendon

Williamson, Carol
Nakina

CRAVEN

Andrews, Barbara M.
New Bern

Clark, Una
New Bern

Lancaster, Stephen P.
Vanceboro

Menius, Sue
New Bern

CUMBERLAND

Adams, James M.
Fort Bragg

Bunnell, Sylvia G.
Fayetteville

Blake, Sheryl D.
Stedman

Cook, Michael P.
Fayetteville

Faircloth, Douglas M.
Stedman

Gamble, Mike
Fort Bragg

Gibbons, Charles
Fayetteville

Johnson, Nancy Louise
Fayetteville

Jackson, James Jerry
Fayetteville

McLamb, Donnie
Dunn

Powell, Lois Ann
Fayetteville

Phillips, Charles
Fayetteville

Sinka, Damian
Fayetteville

Sullivan, Judy L.
Fayetteville

Williams, Jackie B.
Fayetteville

DAVIDSON

Caudle, Martha Ruth
Lexington

Howard, Cynthia
Thomasville

Mabe, Michael
Thomasville

Mabe, Carolina
Thomasville

Noah, Wayne D.
Thomasville

Snider, Dana Lee
Linwood

Young, Ann
Lexington

DAVIE

Wood, Charles
Advance

DUPLIN

Easom, Danny
Beaulaville

Gilmore, Stephen T.
Wallace

Kornegay, Bettie Lou
Mt. Olive

Kornegay, David H.
Mt. Olive

Miller, Jimmy
Beaulaville

Rivenbark, Steve
Warsaw

Sanderson, Don
Rose Hill

DURHAM

Eubanks, Kathy
Durham

Holbrook, Jesse
Durham

Powell, Mary E.
Durham

Winesett, Debra
Durham

EDGECOMBE

Daughtridge, Sylvia
Rocky Mount

Harrell, Willie
Tarboro

FORSYTH

Bishop, James Russell
Winston-Salem

Brannock, Emmett B.
Walkertown

Bowman, Billie Jane
Winston-Salem

Burchette, Edward N.
Winston-Salem

Clore, Brenda K.
Winston-Salem

Green, Tommy
Winston-Salem

McInnis, Susan
Winston-Salem

Oliver, Linda Sue
Winston-Salem

Smith, Yvette
Winston-Salem

Sloan, Mary
Pfafftown

Swaim, Debra
Winston-Salem

Snyder, Joe
Winston-Salem

Stewart, Roger Lee
Kernersville

Thomas, Jennifer
Winston-Salem

Wilson, Nathaniel, Jr.
Winston-Salem

FRANKLIN

Kearney, Ronda E.

GASTON

Berrong, Alice Faye
Gastonia

Boardman, Martha E.
Gastonia

Branch, Mike
High Shoals

Brooks, Renee
Gastonia

Cook, Randy Lee
Dallas

Foust, Ella Mae
Lowell

Gillespie, Linda
Gastonia

Gilmore, Tonda Ann
Gastonia

Helms, Madonna
Stanley

Kiser, Lu Ann
Cherryville

McGee, Judith
Gastonia

McLamb, Susan
Gastonia

Morrow, Candy
Gastonia

Owens, Pat
Gastonia

Stalcup, Elaine
Bessemer City

Sewell, Nancy
Gastonia

Stephens, Doris Annette
Gastonia

Walker, Garrett
Gastonia

Wilson, James
Gastonia

GRANVILLE

Ellis, Clement P.
Oxford

Jones, Bobby
Oxford

Daniel, Carolyn M.
Oxford

Rogers, Doreen
Creedmoor

GUILFORD

Beeson, Teresa
Greensboro

Cantolina, Robin Sue
Greensboro

Clewis, Barbara
Greensboro

Cole, Barbara
High Point

Forrest, Cathy Vernon
Greensboro

Foust, Judy Carolyn
Greensboro

Hunt, Diane
Greensboro

Hawkins, Morris
Greensboro

Johnson, Judy Ann
Greensboro

Mayhew, Billy
Greensboro

Miller, Donald Wayne
Greensboro

Misenheimer, Janet
High Point

Murray, Melvin
Greensboro

Russ, Philip Reid
Greensboro

Rickard, Sharon
High Point

Reynolds, Pamela
Climax

Smith, Anita
Greensboro

Smith, Joyce
High Point

Spencer, Paula
High Point

Stone, Rachel
Greensboro

Suggs, Lewis Lynn
High Point

Suggs, Mike
High Point

Vaughn, Harry Lee
High Point

Winslow, Winford
Greensboro

Wood, Judy Gail
Jamestown

HARNETT

Coker, Latricia Dale
Erwin

Godwin, Gary Glenn
Erwin

Hawley, Ralph
Dunn

Hawley, Tony
Dunn

Jackson, Tommy
Erwin

Tart, Vicky
Dunn

HAYWOOD

Arrington, Boyd
Hazelwood

Arrington, Shirley
Hazelwood

Webb, Mary Alice
Canton

HENDERSON

Camp, Wayne
Hendersonville

McMinn, Karen
Hendersonville

HOKE

English, Ellen
Raeford

English, Neill
Raeford

HYDE

Harris, Judy L.
Belhaven

IREDELL

Belk, Eddie
Troutman

Gaither, Patricia E.
Statesville

Moose, Dessie
Statesville

Pegram, Mary E.
Union Grove

JACKSON

Greene, Connie
Sylva

JOHNSTON

Autrey, Robert
Dunn

Ballance, Geraldine
Four Oaks

Dixon, Linda
Benson

Langdon, Donna Kaye
Benson

Lane, Debbie Jo
Smithfield

Parrish, Catherine
Selma

LEE

Hurley, Gerald
Sanford

Page, Bob
Sanford

Poole, Bobbie
Sanford

LENOIR

Croom, Carl Herbert
Kinston

Holmes, Haywood
Kenansville

Kennedy, Marie
Pink Hill

Kennedy, Sherrie E.
Pink Hill

Parsons, Frank
Kinston

LINCOLN

Grigg, Diane
Lincolnton

Leatherman, Elwyn
Vale

Meeks, Polly
Crouse

Mosteller, Melessa Ann
Iron Station

Reece, Carolyn Sue
Lincolnton

Reece, Mary
Lincolnton

Sain, Larry
Lincolnton

MACON

Fagg, Rosadell
Franklin

Wyatt, Sandra Gail
Franklin

MADISON

Knott, Waymond Dale
Walnut

McKinney, Melisa
Mars Hill

McKinney, Mike
Mars Hill

Plemmons, Linda
Hot Springs

Shook, Frederick L.
Mars Hill

MARTIN

Sharp, Selina
Robersonville

McDOWELL

Adcock, Sherry
Marion

Cable, Glenda
Marion

Jones, Roger William
Marion

Kirkpatrick, Pamela
Marion

MECKLENBURG

Blakely, Marty
Charlotte

Brinkley, Suzie
Charlotte

Childers, Johnny
Charlotte

Childers, Russell
Charlotte

Couch, Vickie
Charlotte

Davis, Beck Milton
Matthews

Eaves, Trudy
Charlotte

Fowler, Mary Ann
Charlotte

Freeman, Lorene
Charlotte

Helms, Larry Albert
Matthews

Jacques, Carl
Charlotte

Ketner, Bob
Charlotte

McCord, Donna
Charlotte

McCord Wm. S., III
Charlotte

McGuirt, Ellen Kay
Charlotte

Meek, William
Charlotte

Melton, Larry Parks
Charlotte

Phillips, Jerry Bain
Charlotte

Quick, John Frederick
Charlotte

Ritch, David Randall
Charlotte

Simmons, Faye Joy
Charlotte

Spivey, Frances L.
Charlotte

Wilson, John Tolar
Charlotte

Wright, Haywood, Jr.
Cornelius

MITCHELL

Autrey, Charles
Spruce Pine

Hughes, Betty Gail
Bakersville

Ledford, James, Jr.
Spruce Pine

Whitson, Glenda Mae
Bakersville

MONTGOMERY

Ballard, Wayne
Mt. Glead

MOORE

Barber, Terry Michael
Carthage

Bruce, Bob Roger
Robbins

Bruce, Eva Mae
Robbins

Hearn, Reece
Carthage

Kennedy, Marion
Pinehurst

Sanders, Linda
Robbins

Spence, Donna L.
Pinebluff

NASH

Edwards, Tommy
Nashville

Smith, Becky
Battleboro

NEW HANOVER

Beckwith, Eugene
Wilmington

Brizendine, Brian
Wilmington

Caines, Rudolph
Wilmington

Failes, Dianne
Wilmington

Farrow, Jo Ann
Wrightsville Beach

Howell, Dickie
Wilmington

Mathis, Donna
Castle Hayne

Nurnberger, Vincent
Wilmington

Powell, Janice
Wilmington

Rogers, Katrina Anne
Leland

Smith, J. Wayne
Leland

NORTHAMPTON

Glover, Dickie
Margarettsville

ONslow

King, Kathy
Camp LeJeune

Batchelor, Sybil
Richlands

Batchelor, Geraldine
Richlands

Kellum, Johnny
Jacksonville

Smith, Carol
Jacksonville

ORANGE

Hawkins, Karen
Hurdle Mills

PAMLICO

Ensley, Craig
Grantsboro

Lewis, Mildred
Lowland

PASQUOTANK

Bray, Brenda
Elizabeth City

McDonald, Peggy
Elizabeth City

White, Herbert
Elizabeth City

White, Neia
Elizabeth City

PENDER

Rivenbark, Karen
Burgaw

PERSON

Wilborn, Phil
Roxboro

Allen, Frances
Roxboro

Briggs, Anna
Roxboro

Moore, Darrell H.
Hurdle Mills

Moore, Tony
Hurdle Mills

PITT

Evans, Johnny Ray
Winterville

Hunnings, Gary
Greenville

Jones, Jimmy
Greenville

Jones, Marjorie Ruth
Greenville

Jones, Spence
Greenville

Lockamy, Ray
Greenville

RANDOLPH

Cannon, Douglas C. IV.
Liberty

Dawkins, Charles
Asheboro

Harvell, Elizabeth Ann
Asheboro

Keeling, Mary Frances
Asheboro

RICHMOND

Bittle, Donnie Lee
Rockingham

Hemrick, Kandi
Ellerbe

Robinson, Nellie
Hamlet

Smith, Willis
Ellerbe

ROBESON

Bristow, Charles
Lumber Bridge

Chavis, Maxine
Red Springs

Britt, Tommy
Lumberton

Chance, Delton
Lumberton

Cox, Cathy
Lumberton

Honeycutt, Sherry L.
St. Pauls

Lowery, Valdinio
Fairmont

McMillan, A. Wilton, Jr.
Parkton

Morgan, Barbara
Rowland

Morgan, Carolyn
Rowland

Oxendine, Gene
Pembroke

Oxendine, Barbara
Pembroke

ROCKINGHAM

Clark, Lee
Stoneville

Hall, Joseph H.
Maydon

Hall, Jimmy
Maydon

Sams, Jimmy
Spray

Short, Linda Dianne
Reidsville

Swinney, Larry
Rockington County
Mail: Cascade, Va.

ROWAN

Beaver, Sharon
Salisbury

Cooley, Dianne
Salisbury

Freeze, Nelson
Landis

Isenhour, Betty
China Grove

Isenhour, Linda
China Grove

Isenhour, Louise
China Grove

Talbert, Debbie
Spencer

RUTHERFORD

Self, Martha Ann
Casar

Stroud, Billy
Ellenboro

Wood, Joseph, Jr.
Forest City

SAMPSON

Green, Annie Grace
Roseboro

Hall, Mary E.
Autryville

Rich, Johnny R.
Garland

SCOTLAND

Warren, Robert Stephen
Laurinburg

STANLEY

Ballard, Treva
Norwood

Burleson, Judy Ann
Albemarle

Burris, Elton
Albemarle

James, Stacey
Albemarle

Little, Diane
Albemarle

Little, Donna
Albemarle

Little, Worth, Jr.
Albemarle

STOKES

Lewis, Mary Pamela

SURRY

Cummings, Imogene
Ararat

Hayes, John B.
Elkin

Lawson, Libby Jo
Pilot Mountain

Taylor, Dean
Pilot Mountain

SWAIN

Crowe, Charles
Cherokee

Herron, Barbara
Bryson City

Herron, Kenneth
Bryson City

Herron, Thomas Wayne
Bryson City

TRANSYLANIA

Buchanan, Gladys
Brevard

McCall, Linda
Brevard

Owen, Emmett Dwight
Brevard

Phillips, Vicki
Brevard

Snipes, Donna
Brevard

UNION

Stegall, Lanny
Marshville

Williams, Mary Sue
Monroe

VANCE

Purcell, Helen Mae
Townsville

Purcell, Johnny
Townsville

WAKE

Choplin, Faye Marie
Wake Forest

Daniels, Glenda Ada
Raleigh

Donnelly, Tommy
Raleigh

Davis, Brenda Kate
Raleigh

Dowdy, Lemuel David
Cary

Graham, Anna D.
Raleigh

Hicks, Faye
Cary

Kirk, Brenda F.
Raleigh

Midgette, Butch
Garner

Pegram, Ida Marie
Apex

Phipps, Elbert Ray
Raleigh

Rambeaut, Dale
Garner

Scarboro, Ann
Wendell

Scarboro, Mary Ella
Wendell

Scarboro, Robert L., III.
Wendell

Seagroves, Margaret
Raleigh

Snakenburg, Kaye
Raleigh

Spence, Jean
Raleigh

Spence, Ruth
Raleigh

Wilkinson, Lillian E.
Raleigh

Yeargan, Frances
Garner

WASHINGTON

Williams, Kaye

WATAUGA

Miller, Dennis
Triplett

Miller, Johnny
Triplett

Watson, Annie Lee
Deep Gap

WAYNE

Best, Nora
Goldsboro

Bordeaux, Danny
Goldsboro

Cannon, Kenneth E.
Goldsboro

Edwards, Virginia
Pikeville

Frye, Ricky
Goldsboro

Graves, Darlene
Goldsboro

Herring, Joyce
Mt. Olive

Merritt, Ronnie
Goldsboro

Power, Diana
Goldsboro

Power, Steven
Goldsboro

WILKES

Alexander, Dean
N. Wilkesboro

Barnes, Thurston J.
Boomer

Clanton, Dee
Boomer

Coleman, Diane
Cycle

Johnson, Archie
Wilkesboro

Triplett, Mike Willard
Trophill

Yates, Darrell Thomas
N. Wilkesboro

WILSON

Dilda, Judy
Wilson

Matthews, Pamela
Wilson

Rogers, Yvonne
Wilson

Turner, Judy
Lucama

Williams, Charles Roy
Elm City

YADKIN

Eldridge, Shelby
Hamptonville

Hutchens, Ray
Yadkinville

Shaffner, Carolyn
Jonesville

Shaffner, Mary Ann
Jonesville

Wright, Vergie Mae
Yadkinville

OUT-OF-STATE *

Duncan, Bobby
Hampton, Va.

Duncan, Gary
Hampton, Va.

Greene, Sandra Ruth
Clarksville Base
Annex, Va.

McDaniel, Orville Lee
Birmingham, Ala.

Rochester, Joe
Mountain Rest, S. C.

Stuckey, Patrick Lynn
Northwest, Va.

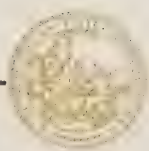
Stuckey, Ricky
Northwest, Va.

Williamson, James B.
Arlington, Va.

Williamson, John D.
Arlington, Va.

Wyly, Forrest W.
College Park, Ga.

*Note: These students
are children of Armed
Service Personnel, or
parents own property in
N. C. and are tempo-
rarily out of state.



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Morganton, North Carolina
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Letter of Transmittal

His Excellency, Terry Sanford
Governor of North Carolina
Executive Chamber
Raleigh, North Carolina

Dear Sir:

The Board of Directors of the North Carolina School for the Deaf has the honor to transmit to your excellency its thirty-seventh biennial report, and respectfully asks your careful examination of the condition, progress, and needs of the school.

The members of the Board wish to express their appreciation for your active interest in, and your courteous consideration of, the needs of the School.

Respectfully submitted,
William S. McCord, *Secretary*

July 1, 1964

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Letter of Transmittal

Members of the Board:

It is my duty and privilege to submit to you a report on the operation of the School for the years 1962-64.

Significant features of this report are: The Superintendent's Report, The Business Manager's Report, General Information concerning the School and a pictorial section which shows the work of the School in pictures.

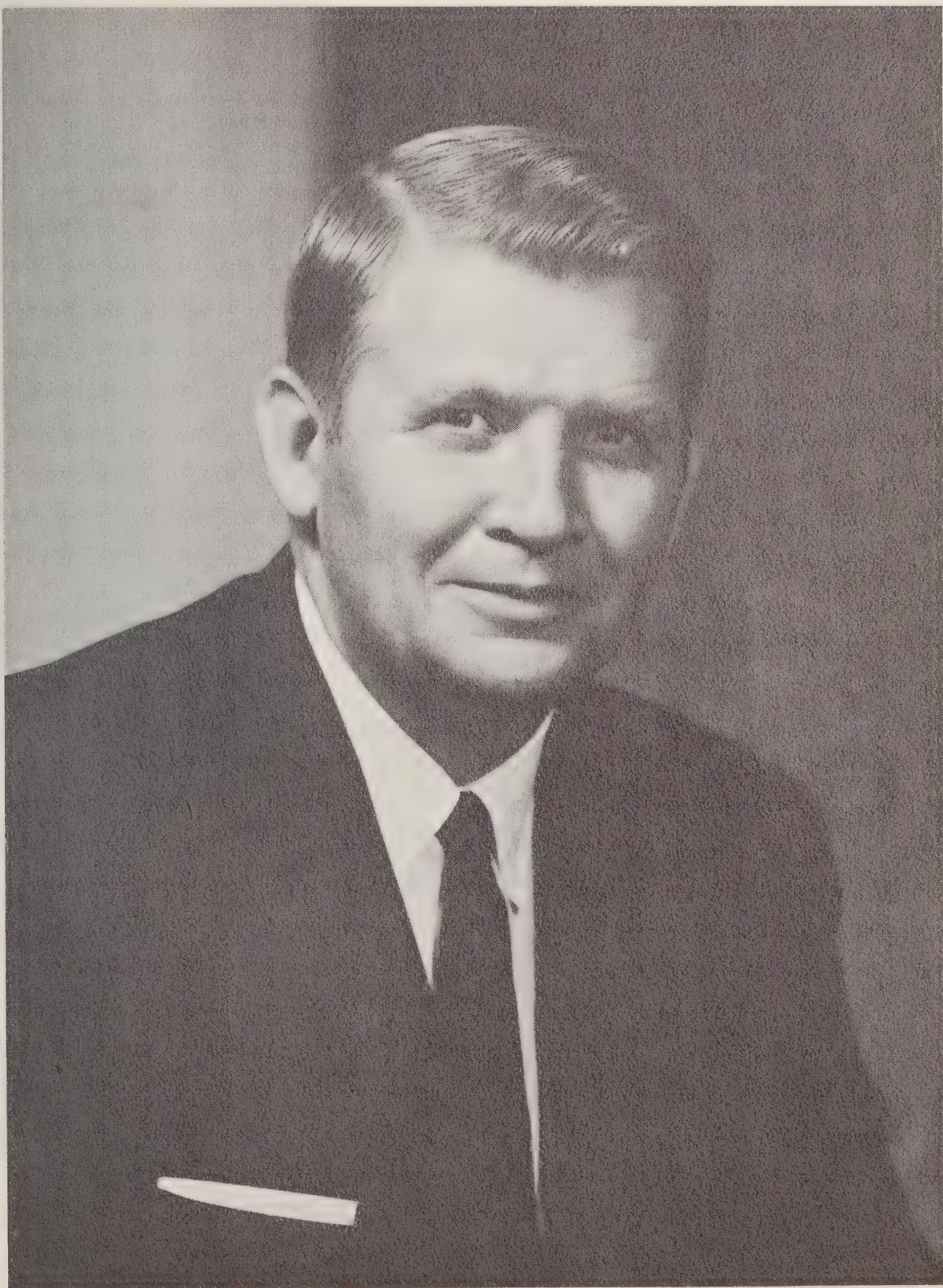
It is indeed a pleasure and an honor to submit this report to you.

Respectfully submitted,

Ben E. Hoffmeyer, *Superintendent*



OUR SYMBOL OF LIFE: *THE CLOCK TOWER*
has been there since the day the School opened on
"Vine Hill"; its clock faces point to the next thing
to be done; its beautiful symmetry is a memory that
goes with us wherever we go.



His Excellency, Terry Sanford
Governor of North Carolina

General Information

The North Carolina School for the Deaf at Morganton is a state supported residential school for the deaf. It is the only school for the deaf in North Carolina for white children. It is located on a campus of approximately 75-acres. This campus is surrounded by farm lands that belong to the School. There is a total of 387 acres of land located on the southern limits of Morganton. The School also owns 500 acres in the South Mountains and this is the water shed area for the School.

Physical facilities include twelve buildings and ten residences. Ample playground and athletic facilities are available.

It is the purpose of this school to provide an educational program for boys and girls, who because of profound or partial deafness, are unable to profit by the instruction given in schools for hearing children. The course of instruction is intended to furnish the deaf child with as much academic subject matter as he can absorb. An Academic High School Course is offered, plus an extensive program in Vocational Education. Graduates are generally qualified in one vocation, and either get employment or go on to college at Gallaudet College, Washington, D. C. Gallaudet is the only college for the deaf in the world.

Approximately fourteen years are required to complete the high school course. Students are admitted when they are five years of age. The class size ranges from 8 to 11 per class. Individual instruction is required to establish speech and lip-reading for the deaf child. Individual hearing aids are used by those who have a remnant of hearing. Powerful classroom group hearing aids are installed in twenty-two classrooms.

Pupils are grouped by achievement and age into three distinct departments: Primary School, Middle School and Upper School. Each department has a supervising teacher. The Principal is over all instruction, including Vocational Training and Physical Education.

The School considers Sunday School work part of its responsibility and all children attend. Sunday School is taught

by the teachers. Approximately one-fifth are on duty each Sunday. Church service is held for children 12 years of age and over. Missionaries for the deaf preach a non-denominational sermon and use the sign language.

Applications and Admissions

Applications and request for information should be addressed to the Superintendent.

Children are admitted at five years of age and above. Medical records must show that the child has a hearing loss severe enough to prevent him from attending public school. A child must have mental capacity adequate to be considered educable. Generally an Intelligence Quotient of 70 is required. Transfers from public school can be made at any time, if the child is not making progress due to a hearing loss.

Fees

No tuition, room or board is charged since the School is a part of the free public school system. A school fee of \$25.00 per year, per child, is charged to cover school supplies and student activity fee.

New Eastern School at Wilson, North Carolina

During the school year 1964-65 the New Eastern School for the Deaf at Wilson, N. C. is scheduled to open. In 1963 the N. C. School for the Deaf at Morganton became the largest school for the deaf in the United States. It was necessary in order to take care of all deaf students to open a new school. The legislature enacted a law to establish an Eastern School so that children from the Eastern part of the state could attend school nearer their homes, and so enrollment could be kept to 500, judged by authority of educators of the deaf to be a maximum number for effective education in one residential school. Peak enrollment at Morganton reached 558 during the 1963-64 year.

The school at Wilson will open with 80 children ages 5 through 10 years and grow into a school through the eighth grade. High school pupils will continue to attend at Morganton and all younger students from the Western part of the state will continue to attend at Morganton.

Staff and Faculty — Biennium 1962-64

ADMINISTRATION

Mr. Ben E. Hoffmeyer, M. A., ...	Superintendent
Mrs. Margaret C. Simmons, ...	Secretary to Superintendent
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Mr. D. U. Thompson, ...	Accounting Clerk
Mrs. Mary E. Roberson	Secretary, Business Office

EDUCATIONAL

Mr. R. M. McAdams, B. S., ...Principal
 Mr. David M. Denton, M. A., ...Principal-elect
 —Teacher Training Coordinator
 Mrs. Frances E. Davis, ...Building Principal, Upper School
 Mrs. Katherine W. Thomason, Building Principal, Intermediate School
 Miss Nan F. Jeter, B. A., ...Building Principal, Primary School

Teachers — Upper School

Mrs. Meta H. Bigham, B. S.	Mrs. Vivian H. Ingram, B. S.
Mr. George K. Brown, B. A.	Mrs. Marilyn H. Lingerfelt, A. B.
Miss Norma M. Bushey, B. S.	Mr. John E. McCreight
Mr. Robert C. Hoover	Miss Martha W. Marshall, B. A.
Mrs. Robinette C. Hoover	Mr. William M. Simpson, B. A.
Mrs. Marguerite E. Butler	Mrs. Anne B. Starrett
Mrs. Jane T. Chase, B. S.	Mrs. Jane R. Taylor, B. S.
Mrs. Bashie C. Crutchfield	Mrs. Marjorie M. Triebert, B. A.
Mrs. Kate B. Fowler, B. A.	Mrs. Bernice Q. Tuttle
Mrs. Cordelia H. Giles, A. B.	Mrs. Elizabeth W. Walker
Mrs. Mozelle K. Horton	Mrs. Tucker J. Walker
Mrs. Mary S. Hotchkiss, B. S.	Mrs. Julia H. Wayt, M. A.
Mrs. Helen S. Hunt, B. S.	Mrs. Jane C. Williams, A. B.
Mr. John M. Tubergen, B. S.	

Teachers — Intermediate School

Mrs. Jean S. Arney, B. A.	Mrs. Annabelle H. McCreight
Mrs. Kay Bennett Jones, B. S.	Mrs. Betty S. Mitchell, A. B.
Mrs. Ella Wolfe H. Billings, B. S.	Mrs. Dorothy B. Mitchell, B. S.
Mrs. Anne C. Causby, A. B.	Mrs. Annie L. Phillips
Mrs. Charlotte H. Conley	Mrs. Betty Chloe S. Mull
Mrs. Hattie M. Dickens, A. B.	Mrs. Marguerite C. Plaster, B. S.
Mrs. Paula W. Garrison, A. B.	Mrs. Frances A. Taylor
Miss Beulah E. Huffman, B. S.	Mrs. Carease H. Walker, A. B.
Mrs. Brenda B. Jones, A. B.	Miss Lottie M. Strickland
Mrs. Mary H. Kirksey, A. B.	Miss Peggy Jean Watts Barlow
Mrs. Jennie T. Law, M. A.	Mrs. Elizabeth M. Sasser, A. B.

Teachers — Primary School

Miss Joy C. Bowers	Mrs. Nelda W. Mawell, A. B.
Mrs. Josephine N. Brendle, A. B.	Mrs. Mary Gordon Patton, A. B.
Mrs. Evelyn H. Copenhagen	Mrs. Alice W. Smith, B. S.
Mrs. Willie Mae DeLaughter	Mrs. Mary B. Tuttle, B. A.
Miss Marjorie L. Gordon	Mrs. Ann B. Walton, A. B.
Mrs. Bleeker M. Harbison	Miss Elizabeth J. Watrous
Miss Louise Harris, A. B.	Mrs. Evelyn W. Waston, B. S.
Mrs. Vera B. Hoffmeyer	Mrs. Martha Jo Patton, B. A.

VOCATIONAL

Mr. Raymond Butler, B. A.	Voc. Principal and Athletic Director
Mr. Harold F. Brown	Printing
Mrs. Ruth L. C. Bridgers	Power Machine Operation and Looping
Mr. Paul B. Crutchfield	General Shop
Miss Lucy M. Goins, M. A.	Home Economics
Mr. James Vernon Golightly	Metal Works
Mr. William A. Greene, M. A.	Dean of Students
Mr. R. E. Mayfield	Shoe Repair and Upholstery
Mr. Albert F. Mehl	Printing
Mrs. Mary C. Patton	Typing and Business Machine Operation
Mrs. Sallie N. Shepard	Sewing
Mr. Wilson W. Sherrill	Cabinet Making and Carpentry
Mr. James B. Taylor	Dry Cleaning and Tailoring
Mr. Marvin Odie Tuttle	Coach
Mrs. Kathleen P. Underhill	Arts and Crafts
Mr. Carl L. Williams	Auto Body Repair
Mrs. DeLanie B. Winchester, B. S.	Advanced Sewing and Design

CUSTODIAL CARE AND MAINTENANCE

Mrs. Lillian V. Houck	Head Dietitian
Dr. W. H. Patton	School Physician
Doctors Coffey, Falls and Diercks	School Dentist (Part-time)
Dr. Edward W. Phifer	Surgeon (Part-time)
Miss Alice Roberta Wylie, R. N.	School Nurse
Mrs. Elizabeth Rusmisell	Food Service, Main Building
Mrs. Annie G. Dale	Food Service, Goodwin Hall
Mrs. Mary Tessner	Food Service, Rankin Hall
Mrs. Fannie Brackett	Food Service, Hoffmeyer Hall
Mrs. Ruth Y. Silver	Chief Counselor, Rankin Hall
Mrs. Nell B. Mundy	Chief Counselor, Goodwin Hall
Mr. Edward Plemmons	Chief Counselor, Hoffmeyer Hall
Miss E. Elgiva Shepard	Chief Counselor, Main Building
Mrs. Ellen M. Cullen	Head Counselor, Goodwin Hall
Miss Emmie Lou Mace	Head Counselor, Goodwin Hall
Mrs. Ruth Bridges	Head Counselor, Rankin Hall
Mrs. Eva Stewart	Head Counselor, Rankin Hall
Mr. Bobby N. Clark	Head Counselor, Hoffmeyer Hall
Mr. Fred F. Rusmisell,	Plant Engineer
Mr. Charles Street	Head, Laundry Department

Superintendent's Report

As Superintendent of the North Carolina School for the Deaf at Morganton, I herewith submit the Thirty-seventh Biennial Report for the years 1962-64. During the biennium the enrollment increased from 532 to 558.

The most significant event of this biennium was the successful acquisition of sufficient funds from the 1963 General Assembly to build the first phase of the new Eastern North Carolina School for the Deaf which was established by law in the 1961 General Assembly. An appropriation of \$980,000 was granted and drawings were completed for the first unit. This unit was designed to house and provide classrooms for 120 pupils. As the biennium closed, the building was under construction, and the school plans to open its doors to pupils in January of 1965.

The Board of Directors of the North Carolina Schools for the Deaf elected Mr. R. M. McAdams, principal of the School at Morganton, as the new Superintendent of the Eastern North Carolina School for the Deaf at Wilson. His election became effective as of September 3, 1963. Mr. McAdams has served the School at Morganton as Principal since 1955.

Mr. David M. Denton, Teacher Training Coordinator between Lenoir Rhyne College and the North Carolina School for the Deaf at Morganton, was elected principal of the School at Morganton to succeed Mr. McAdams, and takes up his official duties July 1, 1964. Mr. Denton received his training to teach the deaf in the North Carolina School for the Deaf Teacher Training Class of 1962. He received his B. S. degree from Lenoir Rhyne College, and his Master's degree from San Fernando State College, California.

The North Carolina School for the Deaf at Morganton again received 5 Federal Scholarships for teacher training during each year of the biennium in affiliation with Lenoir Rhyne College. Four Federal Scholarships for teacher training at the graduate level were granted in affiliation with Appalachian State Teachers College for the school year 1964-65.

Ample funds have been appropriated to administer the School at Morganton's program and maintain buildings and grounds.

The North Carolina School for the Deaf at Morganton is rated high nationally and has an excellent record in preparing students for college and employment.

I consider it an honor to serve the state and the deaf of North Carolina.

Respectfully submitted,

Ben E. Hoffmeyer, *Superintendent*

Departmental Reports

Household Life

Dormitory life has received more attention in the last biennium due to a full-time Dean of Students who gives his full-time to the supervision of counselors (houseparents) and their programs for the children during the out of school hours.

Hours were reduced by law to 48 hours average which allowed some accumulative leave pay to be paid beyond the close of school. This increased the yearly pay of the counselors.

Recruiting continues to be a problem, since most of the counselors are required to live in the dormitories and the hours are long.

Training has been planned by scheduling a full week of training during the week prior to the opening of school. This should lead to a more efficient program of counseling, and upgrade the professional standards of the position.

Dietary

The aim of the dietary department is to serve students and staff who live in, a well-balanced diet which comes within the budget. This has been successfully accomplished. It will be necessary to request a reasonable increase in the food budget for the coming biennium to meet the rising costs and a steadily rising enrollment.

The Farm was discontinued which reflected as a rise in the food budget, since milk is now purchased from Broughton Hospital and meat is purchased through contract with private meat packing companies.

Health

The 1962-64 Biennium has found the students in remarkably good health. Epidemics of colds and such have been kept down to a minimum among the children, and the infirmary

has operated well under the direction of Dr. W. H. Patton, Jr., School Physician. The \$14.000 appropriated for the remodeling the bathrooms, electric and plumbing facilities at the Infirmary and for putting vinyl asbestos tile on the floors accomplished this purpose, and the infirmary is now a much more modern and better arranged building. Other improvements are needed, but it is felt that they can wait for some months. The money provided for a maid to help keep the building clean has also proven a wonderful aid to the nurses and doctors and gives them more free time for caring for sick children.

All parents receive the following notice regarding medical care in a general letter sent to them at the beginning of each school year by the Superintendent:

State law requires the following inoculations and/or vaccines before entrance: 1. Diphthria, 2. Tetanus, 3. Whooping Cough, 4. Smallpox and 5. Polio (all shots completed) If tonsils and adenoids need removing it must be done at home. Any other operations are to be done at home unless they are emergencies arising at the school, then the parent is contacted and requested to come to the school and make hospital arrangements if possible. Eyes are to be examined and glasses fitted if needed before coming to school. Teeth examined, and all dental work done before entrance. In emergencies only does the school have glasses fitted and dental work done, then parents are responsible for the bills.

The School has an Infirmary for the care of minor sickness. There is no charge to parents for this service or for drugs used, except especially prescribed drugs. If a child is sick enough to go to the town hospital, parents must take care of his expenses there, just as they would have to do if the child lived at home. If a parent does not wish a child to play certain games, the Superintendent should be notified in writing. The School assumes no responsibility for injuries sustained in games. It does exercise every possible precaution.

Maintenance Department

The Maintenance Department under the direction of Engineer Fred Rusmisell has accomplished with its own force more than we ever hoped they could do in the way of general upkeep, and painting. The grounds have also been greatly improved in the last biennium.

Laundry Department

Due to increased enrollment this department has been enlarged somewhat in the past biennium. Under the management of Mr. C. L. Street it has turned out good work and is now fully meeting the needs of the institution. Equipment in general is adequate. This department is considered semivocational as a part of students training.

Report of the Business Manager

Summary Statement of State Appropriated Funds Biennium 1962-64

	1962-63	1963-64
MAINTENANCE		
Appropriation:		
Maintenance and Operation	\$1,045,928.00	\$1,120,313.00
Institutional Receipts	57,955.00	62,750.00
Total Available	\$1,103,883.00	\$1,183,063.00

EXPENDITURES:

Maintenance and Operation	\$1,056,545.57	\$1,135,765.15
Total Expenditures	1,056,545.57	1,135,765.15
Unexpended Balance	\$ 47,337.43	\$ 47,297.85

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT:

Balance, July 1		
Code 65747	\$ 4,546.80	\$ 4,546.80
Code 65787	916.78	427.35
Code 65938	30,428.10	30,428.10
Code 66100		8,000.00
Code 66334		65,000.00
Receipts	8,000.00	
Total Available	\$ 43,891.68	\$ 108,402.25

EXPENDITURES:

All Capital Improvement Codes	\$ 489.43	\$ 16,250.99
Unexpended Balance, June 30	\$ 43,402.25	\$ 92,151.26

Pictorial Section





ABOVE—Rankin Hall children let off excess energy at their play ground activity period.
BELOW—Self-reliance teaching starts early. Students help clear tables after a meal.



The School considers moral and ethical training, part of its responsibility therefore Sunday school and church services are offered. Classroom teachers teach Sunday school.



ABOVE—A group hearing aid helps in both lipreading and speech in training the deaf.
BELOW—A happy dormitory life is very important. Here students relax before bedtime.



Giving the little deaf child an outlet for self expression is one of the most interesting phases of work conducted at Rankin Hall. They have two well planned activity periods each week.



ABOVE—Santa's visit to Joiner Hall is always the highlight of the Christmas Season.
BELOW—Only Santa Claus could command so much attention from these happy children.



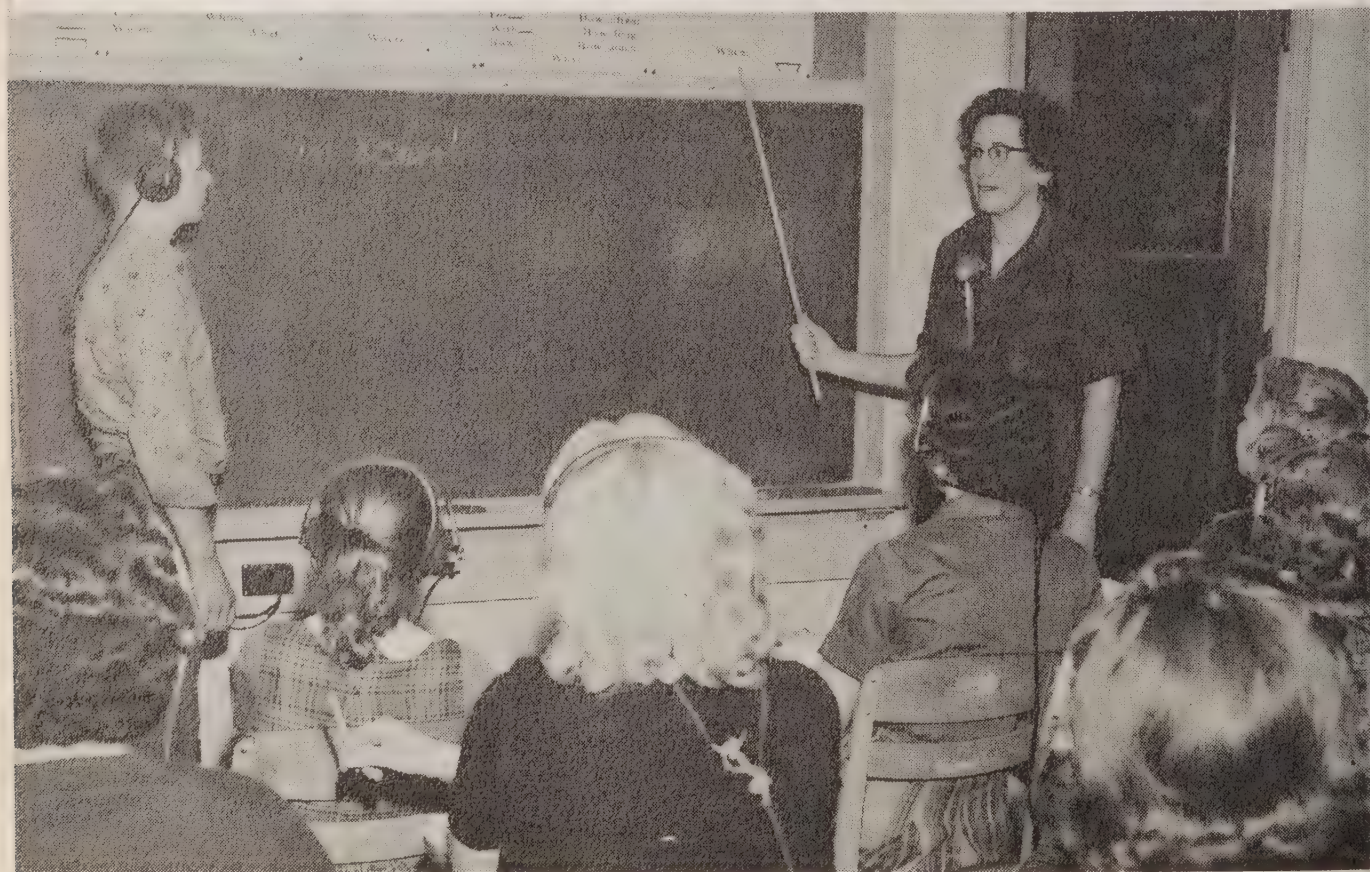
ABOVE—Scouts stand at attention and salute at flag raising ceremonies at Joiner Hall.
BELOW—The art of knot tying is one phase of scouting that is started at an early age.



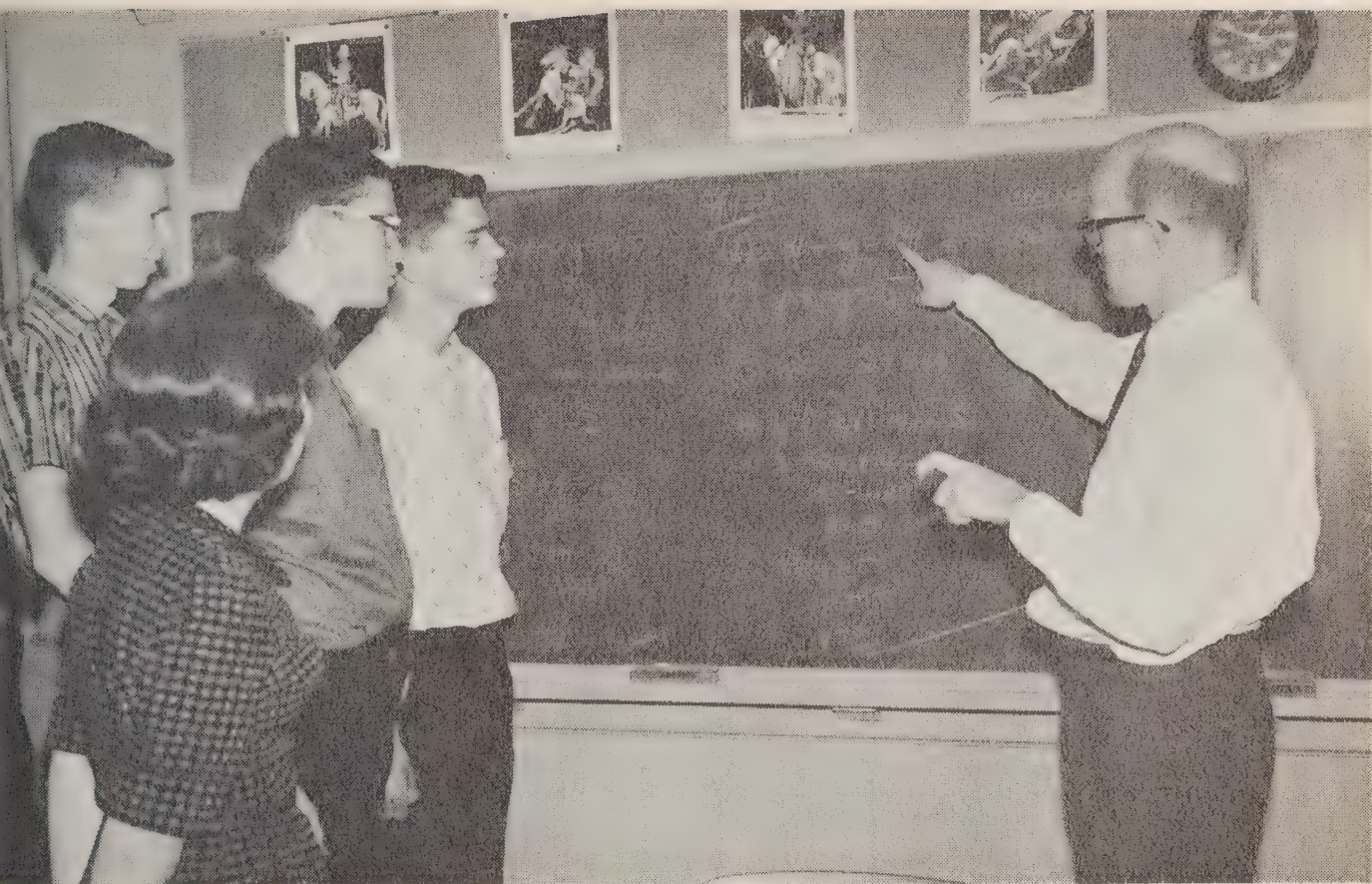
ABOVE—A wading pool was donated by the Parent's Organization and Kiwanis Clubs.
BELOW—The beautiful new blue and white activity bus arrived on campus in January '64.



ABOVE—Boys make their daily walk to classes at Joiner Hall despite the snow and cold.
BELOW—Halloween is celebrated with a big party and contest for the best costumes.



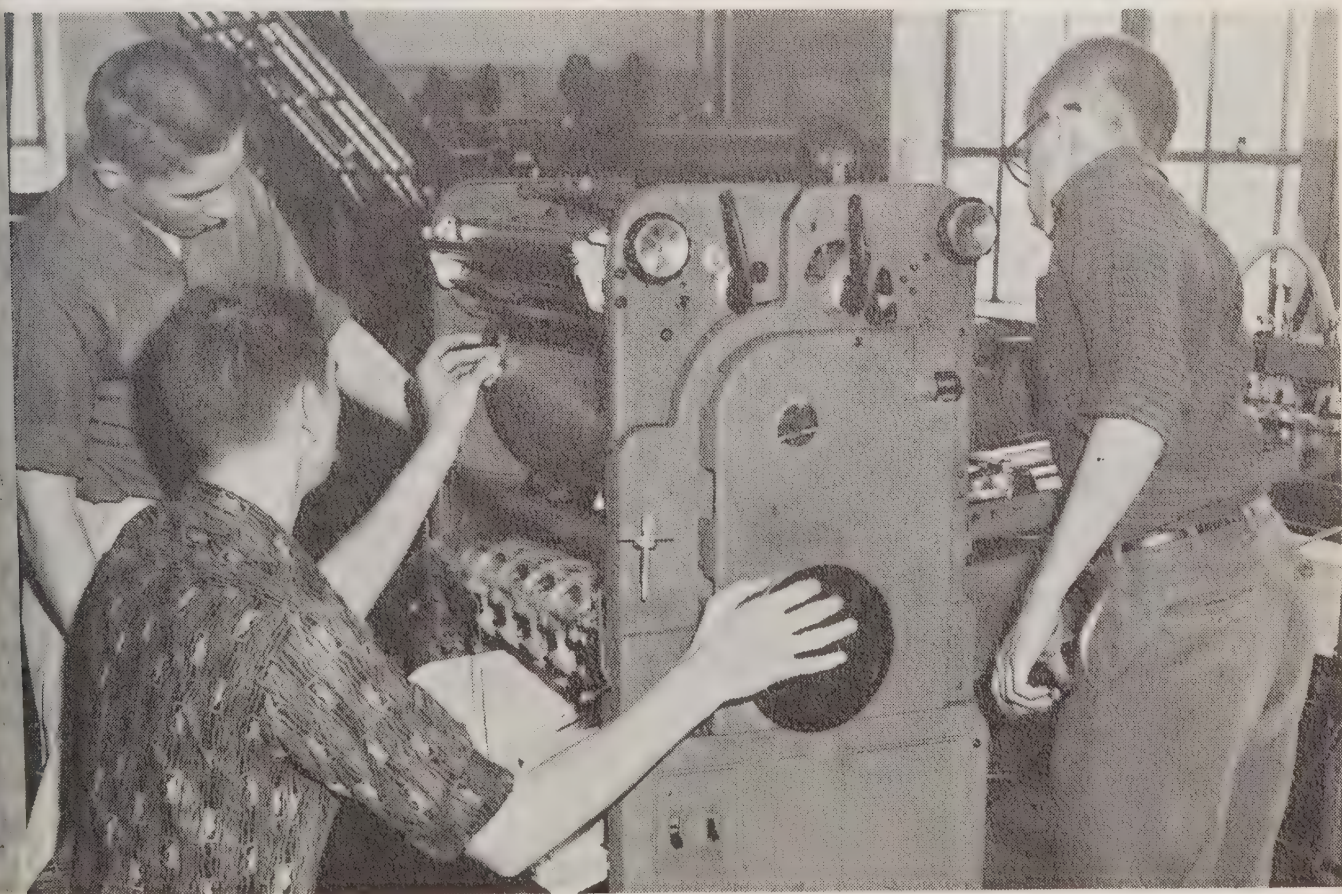
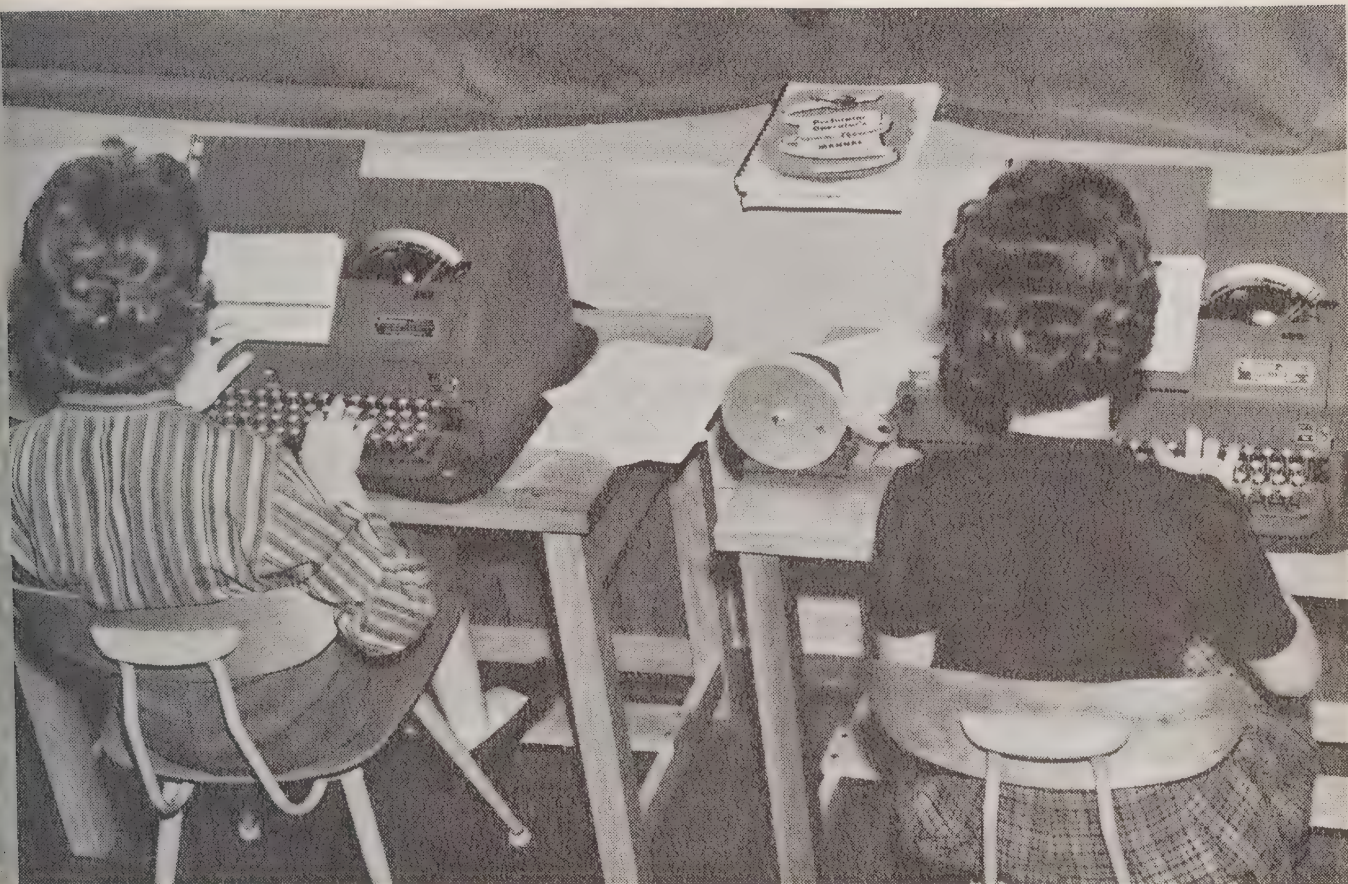
ABOVE—Instruction is built around visual aids. Film strips and slides are often used
BELOW—Language for the deaf child requires skilled teaching and long hours of drill



ABOVE—These school students are straining to find the unknown factor in algebra.
BELOW—These students are busy with an interesting experiment in the science laboratory.



ABOVE—Auto Body Repair is a new shop. Students start refinishing this wrecked car.
BELOW—Finishing touches are being put on two pieces of furniture in the Wood Shop.



ABOVE—Teletypesetter perforator operation is offered to seniors in the Printing Department.
BELOW—Students learn fundamentals of offset press work on the Davidson Dual Lith press.



ABOVE—Students are encouraged to read and use the library as much as possible.
BELOW—Typing and business machine operation is offered to both boys and girls.



Spring, especially in the afternoon means track. The School track team set several new records in conference competition during the last few track seasons.



ABOVE—Teacher trainees are given lecture on the parts of the ear by David M. Denton.
BELOW—Trainees learn techniques of the testing room where hearing test are made.

Roll of Graduating Students — 1962-64

(The following students either graduated or withdrew from school)

ACADEMIC DIPLOMAS — June 7, 1963

Brown, Georganne Kaye	Hawley, Tony Wayne
Cooper, Cecil Marion	Phillips, Patsy Ann
Daughtridge, Sylvia Jean	Poole, Barbara Ann
English, Neill James	Scarboro, Mary Ella
Greene, Sandra Ruth	Triplett, Michael Willard
Williams, Mary Sue	

VOCATIONAL DIPLOMAS — June 7, 1963

Brown, Georganne Kay	Williams, Mary Sue
Cooper, Cecil Marion	Briggs, Anna V.
Daughtridge, Sylvia Jean	Crowe, Charles Albert
English, Neill James	Hayes, John Buford, Jr.
Greene, Sandra Ruth	Stegall, Lanny Michael
Hawley, Tony Wayne	Snipes, Larry Clarence
Phillips, Patsy Ann	Wood, Joseph Albert, Jr.
Poole, Barbara Ann	Wright, Vargie Mae
Scarboro, Mary Ella	Vocational Certificate
Triplett, Michael Willard	Pegram, Marie

CERTIFICATES OF ATTENDANCE — June 7, 1963

Beaver, Paul Russell	Nurnberger, Vincent
Eldridge, Shelby Jean	Stroud, Billy
Gasque, Joyce	Stewart, Jerry
Hall, Joey	Wood, Charles

Students who left school during school year 1962-63 for various reasons:

Beckwith, Eugene	Mosteller, Coman
Carpenter, Johnny	Black Bertha
Cook, Randy Lee	Codd, Phillip A.
Gamble, Mike	Dunn, Richard
Hicks, Martha F.	Harris, Betty
Jessup, Beverly Ann (deceased)	Howell, Dickie
Kasteen, Larry	Meinke, Betty Jill
Setzer, Kenneth E.	

Students Awarded Academic and Vocational Diplomas, June 5, 1964

Adkins, Sylvia A.
Bledsoe, Billy Rex
Brantley, Nancy June
Cole, Barbara Ann
Cook, Bobby Joe
Daniel, Carolyn M.
Faircloth, Douglas McArthur
Grigg, Diane Jo
Hall, Mary Earlene
Johnson, Joan Carol

Leonard, Janice Dean
Lewis, Mary Pamela
Phillips, Peggy Lee
Powell, Janice Faye
Rickard, Sharon Ione
Smith, Frances Yvette
Stuckey, Patrick Lynn
Turner, Shirley Ann
Taylor, Dean Russell
Walker, Garrett W.

Williams, Charles Roy

Students who left school during the school year 1963-64 for various reasons:

Arrington, Joseph E.
Belk, Eddie
Barber, Wm. H. III.
Cannon, Kenneth Eugene
Eason, Chas. Daniel
Farrell, Jo Ann
Goble, Dick
Greene, Tommy
Hawkins, Maurice
Hyatt, Betty Ann
Jernigan, Clifford B.
Keeter, Lewis

Sanderson, Don
King, Kathy
Moose, Dessie N.
Ransom, Romonda
Short, Diane
Sullivan, Judy
Triplett, Mike
Bruce, Roger
Conner, Evelyn
Ward, Edmond, Jr.
Burton, Reginald
Yates, Darrell

TEACHER TRAINEES GRADUATING — June 7, 1963

Mrs. Sunny Nell B. Brown
Mrs. Kathryn Brendle Duckworth
Mr. Charles Z. Falls
Mrs. Robinette Curry Hoover
Mr. Robert C. Hoover

Mrs. Brenda B. Jones
Miss Claudia C. Layell
Miss Lottie Merle Strickland
Mrs. Katherine Koster Roman
Miss Peggy Jean Watts

TEACHER TRAINEES GRADUATING — June 5, 1964

Miss Mary Louise Hice
Mrs. Thelma L. Brooks Luciana
Miss Margaret Jayne Sigmon
Miss Donna Jean Walton
Miss Barbara Jean Layell
Mrs. Ann D. McIntosh, B. S.
Miss Dorothy Copenhaver, B. A.

Miss Vivian F. Hamrick
Miss Nancy E. Higgins, B. S.
Miss Judith Mintz
Miss Patricia Nichols, B. S.
Mr. Bruce Turley
Mrs. Martha J. Phifer Patton, B. A.
Mr. William A. Greene, M. A.

Student Enrollment — Biennium 1962-64

ALAMANCE

Bowman, Ralph Wayne
Haw River
Farrell, Randy
Burlington
Hawkins, Lena Catherine
Burlington
Loy, Gregory Dalton
Burlington
McGee, Kay Yvonne
Graham

ALEXANDER

Fox, Darlene
Taylorsville
May, Tommy
Taylorsville

ALLEGHANY

Delp, Jack
Laurel Spring
Tolley, Ronald O.
Sparta

ASHE

Bare, Jessie Marie
Jefferson
Bledsoe, Billy R.
Fleetwood
Cooper, Rebecca
West Jefferson
Darnell, Jaunita
Glendale Springs
Reeves, William Alan
Grassy Creek

AVERY

Biddix, Alana Gail
Crossnore

BEAUFORT

Boyd, Elaine
Boyd, Joyce
Pinetown
Brabble, Yvonne
Roper
Matthews, Allen
Washington
Pipkin, Cathy Sue
Aurora
Riddle, Becky
Washington
Skalmusky, Steven P.
Washington

BERTIE

Jernigan, Billy
Aulander

BLADEN

Duncan, Bob Gene
Duncan, Gary
Bladenboro
Merritt, Larry Mack
White Oak
Meshaw, Ann
Clarkton

BRUNSWICK

Holden, Eddie
Shallotte
Hickman, Lana
Winnabow
Potter, Anne
Southport

BUNCOMBE

Barnwell, Leon
Asheville

Black, Bertha
Leicester

Bouthot, David A.
Asheville

Christopher, Darlene
Candler

Hensley, Deborah
Asheville

Jamison, Nancy
West Asheville

Ledford, Shirlene
Asheville

Lawrence, Glenda
Asheville

Letterman, Larry E.
West Asheville

Lowe, Kenneth
Candler

McAbee, Sandra
Asheville

Phillips, Nell
Asheville

Solesby, Lee Ellen
Asheville

Sams, Edith
Asheville

Wilson, Marcella
Asheville

Thomas, John Leonard
Weaverville

Wilson, Stephen
Asheville

BURKE

Adcock, Sherry
Morganton

Adkins, Sylvia A.
Morganton

Allen, Beverly June Morganton	Hendrix, David R. Morganton	Plemmons, Linda Morganton
Ballew, Fred Morganton	Hoglen, Pamela Morganton	Poteat, Randolph Nelson Morganton
Bowman, Richard Morganton	Leonard, Janice Dean Morganton	Robinson, Barbara Allen Morganton
Bradshaw, Melba Jane Rutherford College	Johnson, Anita Morganton	Saulman, Ricky Carrol Morganton
Brantley, Nancy June Morganton	Joyce, Patricia Morganton	Setzer, Eva Ray Morganton
Brantley, Winston Morganton	Kanoy, William Melvin Morganton	Secrest, Joy Morganton
Brittain, Alice G. Morganton	Long, Tony Keith Glen Alpine	Simmons, Cheryl Morganton
Carswell, Kathy Bernice Morganton	McGee, Kenneth A. Morganton	Sisk, Gerald Morganton
Clark, Phyllis Jean Morganton	McKnight, Fredna Morganton	Towery, Stephen Valdese
Clontz, Delores Marie Morganton	Mercer, Wayne Valdese	Turner, Shirley Ann Valdese
Cooke, Dee Morganton	Medley, Mary Lois Morganton	Williams, Sandra Morganton
Cooper, Mary Catherine Morganton	Mitchell, Jack Morganton	Wilkie, Elaine Morganton
Cutshaw, Betty Jean Morganton	Monroe, Terri Morganton	CABARRUS
Dover, Vicki Dover, Steve Morganton	Morris, Stephen M. Morganton	Davis, Donna Renee Kannapolis
Fletcher, Herman Morganton	Murphy, James Stephen Morganton	Kirk, Guy Concord
Fletcher, Susan C. Morganton	Nance, Thomas Morganton	Lisenby, Paula Ann Concord
Gibbs, Jimmy Morganton	Parris, Marion Morganton	Moss, Roger Kannapolis
Gibbs, Mary Lucile Morganton	Parsons, Frank Morganton	Patterson, Earl Concord
Greene, Helen Morganton	Partin, Dallas Morganton	Shimpock, Herman, Jr. Concord
Gregory, Beverly Morganton	Patton, Mary Lynn Morganton	CALDWELL
		Benfield, Ronnie Granite Falls

Bentley, Sandra Jean
Lenoir

Carver, Ray
Granite Falls

Eller, Christine
Eller, Virginia Y.
Lenoir

Houck, Terry Lee
Lenoir

Kirby, Brenda Susan
Granite Falls

Martin, Jeffrey Allen
Lenoir

Moretz, Keith
Lenoir

Phillips, Peggy Lee
Lenoir

Stephens, Doris Annette
Hudson

Setzer, Kenneth
Hudson

Thompson, William Jr.
Lenoir

Triplett, Larry
Lenoir

CASWELL

Yarborough, Marvie E.
Danville, Va. Lives in
(Caswell County, N. C.)

CATAWBA

Bowman, Charles
Newton

Bowman, James Wesley
Hickory

Cook, Ronda
Hickory

Coxe, Janet
Conover

Drum, Debbie
Newton

Emmett, Charles Lynn
Emmett, Patsy
Emmett, Susan L.
Hickory

Frye, David
Hickory

Goble, Dick
Hudson

Melvin, William E. Jr.
Conover

Norwod, Donald Eugene
Newton

Pitts, Patricia Ann
Hickory

Reeves, Donnie
Hickory

Setzer, Ruby Gail
Hickory

Sigmon, Joyce
Hickory

Sigmon, Myra
Maiden

Snow, Melba
Hickory

Snow, Wayne
Hickory

Stephens, Hal
Hickory

Watson, Jeff
Hickory

CHATHAM

Neal, Ronald
Pittsboro

Roberts, Mike
Bonlee

Stout, Claude Lewis
Pittsboro

CHEROKEE

Sneed, Patsy
Murphy

CHOWAN

Jordan, Debbie
Edenton

Keeter, Lewis T.
Edenton

CLAY

Nelson, John Owen
Hayesville

CLEVELAND

Click, William Creed
Shelby

Hamrick, John B., Jr.
Shelby

Hicks, Boyd, Jr.
Shelby

Horton, Debra
Kings Mountain

Page, Roy
Shelby

Proctor, Wanda Jean
Lawndale

Self, Martha
Casar

Walker, Larry Randall
Lawndale

Wilson, Sherry Dawn
Kings Mountain

COLUMBUS

Cook, Bobby Joe
Chadbourn

Milligan, Marian
Chadborn

Rockwell, Emily Kay
Whiteville

Stephens, Nelle E.
Hallsboro

Ward, Edmond
Clarendon

CRAVEN

Eason, Chas. D.
New Bern

Clark, Una
New Bern

Lancaster, Stephen P.
Vanceboro

Menius, Sue
New Bern

Smith, Terry
Havelock

CUMBERLAND

Adams, James M.
F. Bragg

Antonelli, Chris
Fayetteville

Blake, Sheryl Dawn
Stedman

Capps, Stuart Lynn
Fayetteville

Cooke, Michael
Fayetteville

Faircloth, Dauglas McA.
Stedman

Gibbons, Charles
Fayetteville

Jackson, Carl Ray
Linden

Johnson, Nancy
Johnson, Ricky
Fayetteville

Matsen, Richard
Fayetteville

Medina, Jaun A., Jr.
Ft. Bragg

Norris, Debra
Ft. Bragg

Smith, Craig
Fayetteville

Warren, Stephen
Fayetteville

Wells, Don Adrain
Stedman

Williams, Jackie Bea
Fayetteville

Williams, Rolon
Fayetteville

DAVIDSON

Everhart, Billy
Lexington

Greene, Jim
Thomasville

Klein, Barbara
Lexington

Lohr, Eddie
Lexington

Mabe, Caroline
Thomasville

Mabe, Michael William
Thomasville

Ridge, Barbara
Denton

Snider, Dana Lee
Linwood

Young, Ann
Lexington

DUPLIN

Holmes, Haywood
Kenansville

Jernigan, Clifford
Kenansville

Kennedy, Rose Marie
Kennedy, Sherry E.
Pink Hill

Kornegay, Bettie Lou
Kornegay, David Homer
Mt. Olive

Kearney, Ronda E.
Franklinton

Miller, Jimmy
Beulaville

Powell, Lois Ann
Wallace

Rivenbark, Lloyd S.
Warsaw

Rogers, Linda
Rose Hill

Sanderson, Don
Rose Hill

DURHAM

Barber, Butch
Durham

Eubanks, Kathy
Durham

Riddle, Nancy E.
Durham

Russell, Peggy L.
Russell, John
Durham

Stutts, Jerry W.
Durham

Wilborn, Phil
Durham

Williams, Maroney
Durham

EDGECOMBE

Harrell, Willie J.
Tarboro

FORSYTH

Bowman, Billie Jane
Winston-Salem

Brannock, Emmett B.
Winston-Salem

Burchette, Edw. Nelson
Winston-Salem

Clore, Brenda
Winston-Salem

Cornett, Patricia
Rural Hall

Jones James Kernersville	McLamb, Susan Gail Gastonia	Cole, Barbara Ann High Point
McInnis, Susan Winston-Salem	Morrow, Candy Gastonia	Denny, Lisa Greensboro
Oliver, Linda Sue Winston-Salem	Owens, Patricia Ann Gastonia	Dixon, Mary Elizabeth Greensboro
Sloan, Mary Pfafftown	Phillips, Charles E., Jr. Belmont	Forrest, Cathy Vernon Greensboro
Smith, Frances Yvette Winston-Salem	Rea, William Edw. Gastonia	Foust, Judy Greensboro
Snyder, Joseph Wyatt Winston-Salem	Seawell, Nancy E. Gastonia	Greene, Peggy High Point
Stewart, Roger Lee Kernersville	Stalcup, Elaine Bessemer City	Johnson, Judy Greensboro
Swaim, Debra Winston-Salem	Walker, Garrett Wistar Gastonia	Mayhew, Billy Greensboro
Tally, Susie Winston-Salem	Wilson, James Gastonia	McAmis, Cathy High Point
Wilson, Nathaniel W., Jr. Winston-Salem	GRANVILLE	Miller, Donald Wayne Greensboro
GASTON	Jones, Bob Oxford	Misenheimer, Janet High Point
Berrong, Faye Gastonia	Daniel, Carolyn M. Oxford	Murray, Melvin Greensboro
Boardman, Martha E. Gastonia	Rogers, Doreen Creedmoor	Phillips, Judy Sue Greensboro
Branch, Mike High Shoals	GUILFORD	Reynolds, Pamela Climax
Brooks, Renee Gastonia	Arrington, Joseph E. Brown Summit	Rickard, Sharon Lee High Point
Foust, Ella Mae Gastonia	Beeson, Teresa Greensboro	Russ, Phillip Reid Greensboro
Gillespie, Linda Gastonia	Burton, Reginald Greensboro	Small, Mickey High Point
Gilmore, Tonda Gastonia	Cantolina, Robin Sue Greensboro	Smith, Anita B. Greensboro
Helms, Madonna Stanley	Chambers, Mickey R. Greensboro	Smith, Joyce High Point
Kiser, Lu Ann Cherryville	Chance, Delton High Point	Spencer, Paula High Point
McGee, Judith Gastonia	Chavis, Barbara Greensboro	Suggs, Lewis

Suggs, Michael
High Point

Stone, Rachel
Greensboro

Vaughn, Harry Lee
Greensboro

Winslow, Winford
Greensboro

HARNETT

Autry, Robert
Dunn

Godwin, Gary
Erwin

Hawley, Ralph
Dunn

Jackson, Tommy
Erwin

McLamb, Donnie
Dunn

Tart, Vicky
Dunn

HAYWOOD

Arrington, Boyd
Hazelwood

Arrington, Shirley
Hazelwood

HENDERSON

Camp, Wayne
Hendersonville

Cantrell, Carolyn
Hendersonville

HERTFORD
Shores, Donnie
Aulander

HOKE

English, Ellen
Raeford

Quick, Johnny
St. Paul's

IREDELL

Gaither, Patricia E.
Statesville

Garrison, Rusty
Mooresville

Moose, Debbie
Statesville

Moose, Dessie N.
Statesville

Yates, Darrell
Statesville

JACKSON

Cabe, Bethel
Sylva

Greene, Connie
Sylva

Greene, Kathy
Sylva

JOHNSTON

Allen, Tony
Smithfield

Ballance, Geraldine
Four Oaks

Davis, Betty
Selma

Davis, Edna
Selma

Dixon, Linda
Benson

Jones, David Earl
Micro

Lane, Debbie Jo
Smithfield

Langdon, Kay
Benson

Parrish, Catherine
Selma

Pittman, Jerry S.
Selma

JONES

Taylor, Grace Irene
(RFD) in Jones County
Kinston

LEE

Hurley, Gerald Brent
Sanford

Page, Bob
Sanford

LENIOR

Croom, Carl Herbert
Kinston

Herring, Frank
Herring, Judy
Kinston

Meeker, Vernon
Kinston

LINCOLN

Grigg, Diane
Lincolnton

Leatherman, Elwyn
Vale

Meeks, Polly
Crouse

Mosteller, Melessa A.
Iron Station

Reece, Carolyn Sue
Reece, Mary
Lincolnton

Sain, Larry
Lincolnton

MACON

Fagg, Rosadell
Franklin

Wyatt, Sandra
Franklin

MADISON

McKinney, Melissa

McKinney, Johnny
McKinney, Robert M.
Mars Hill

MARTIN

Sharp, Selina
Robersonville

McDOWELL

Gardin, Robin
Marion

Cable, Glenda
Marion

Cox, George
Marion

Jones, Roger William
Marion

Kirkpatrick, Pamela
Marion

MECKLENBURG

Allen, Billy
Charlotte

Blakely, Marty
Charlotte

Brinkley, Suzie
Charlotte

Cannon, Paul J. Jr.
Charlotte

Carter, Cathy
Charlotte

Childers, John David
Childers, Russell
Charlotte

Davis, Beck Milton
Matthews

Eaves, Trudy
Charlotte

Edwards, Denise
Charlotte

Fowler, Mary Ann
Charlotte

Freeman, Lorene
Charlotte

Hooker, Jacqueline
Charlotte

Jacques, Carl
Charlotte

Ketner, Gilbert L.
Charlotte

McCord, Donna
Charlotte

McGuirt, Kay
Charlotte

Meek, James
Charlotte

Melton, Larry
Charlotte

Phillips, Jerry Bain
Charlotte

Simmons, Fay J.
Charlotte

Snipes, Barbara Jean
Charlotte

Spivey, Frances
Charlotte

Wilson, John T.
Charlotte

MITCHELL

Autrey, Charles
Spruce Pine

Hughes, Betty
Bakersville

Ledford, James Jr.
Bakersville

Whitson, Glenda Mae
Bakersville

MONTGOMERY

Ballard, Wayne
Mt. Gilead

Campbell, Von
Biscoe

Smith, Randy
Candor

MOORE

Bruce, Eva Mae
Bruce, Roger
Robbins

Hemric, Kandi
Jackson Springs

Kennedy, Marion A.
Pinehurst

Hearn, Reece
Carthage

Sanders, Linda
Robbins

Sheffield, Diana
Carthage

Spence, Donna Lee
Pinebluff

NASH

Dziennik, Carol
Rocky Mount

Edwards, Tommy
Nashville

NEW HANOVER

Brizendine, Brian
Wilmington

Caines, Randy
Wilmington

Fales, Dianne A.
Wilmington

Mathis, Donna
Burgaw

Parnell, Phillip M.
Wilmington

Powell, Janice Faye
Wilmington

Rogers, Katrina
Leland

Smith, John Wayne
Leland

NORTH HAMPTON

Glover, Dickie
Margaretsville

Moore, Betty Jean
Rich Square

ONslow

Batchelor, Geraldine
Batchelor, Sybil
Richlands

Gray, Robert William
Swansboro

Jensen, Carl Stanley
Jacksonville

Kellum, Johnny
Jacksonville

King, Kathy
Camp Lejeune

Smith, Jeannie Carol
Jacksonville

ORANGE

Hawkins, Karen
Hurdle Mills

PAMLICO

Ensley, Craig
Grantsboro

PASQUOTANK

Bray, Brenda
Elizabeth City

Spivey, Jo Jo
Elizabeth City

White, Herbert
White, Neia
Elizabeth City

PENDER

Branch, Al Ray
Rocky Point

Lanier, Tammy
Burgaw

Rivenbark, Karen
Burgaw

PERQUIMANS

McDonald, Peggy
Hertford

PERSON

Allen, Frances Elaine
Roxboro

Moore, Darrell Hugh
Moore, William A.
Hurdle Mills

Oakley, Nelson
Oakley, Robert
Oakley, Shirley
Roxboro

PITT

Heath, Donya N.
Greenville

Hunnings, Gary
Greenville

Jones, Jimmy
Greenville

Jones, Spence
Greenville

Lockamy, Ray
Greenville

RANDOLPH

Dawkins, Charles
Asheboro

Harvell, Elizabeth
Asheboro

RICHMOND

Bittle, Donnie
Rockingham

Bittle, Sandra K.
Rockingham

Smith, Willis Keith
Ellerbe

ROBESON

Blue, Larry
Maxton

Bristow, Charles Lee
Lumber Bridge

Britt, Tommy
Lumberton

Brewer, Rozell
Lumberton

Chavis, Maxine
Lumberton

Conner, Evelyn
Conner, Pete
Rowland

Cox, Cathy Sue
Lumberton

Honeycutt, Sherry Lynn
St. Paul's

Hunt, Clois Faye
Rowland

Hunt, Diane
Fairmont

Ivey, T. Ray
N. Lumberton

Jacobs, Ricky
Fairmont

Lowery, Val
Rowland

McMillian, Angus W., Jr.
Parkton

Morgan, Barbara
Morgan, Carolyn
Rowland

Oxendine, Barbara
Pembroke

Oxendine, Gene
Pembroke

ROCKINGHAM

Clark, Vincent Lee
Stoneville

Hall, Jimmy
Mayodan
Robertson, Keith
Reidsville

Sams, Jimmy
Spray

Swinney, Larry
Spray

ROWAN

Beaver, Sharon Lee
Salisbury

Cooley, Dianne
Salisbury

Dixon, Jimmy Ray
China Grove

Freeze, Nelson
Landis

Harris, Billy
Woodleaf

Isenhour, Linda
Isenhour, Louise
China Grove

Talbert, Deborah D.
Spencer

Thomas, Jenifer Leigh
Salisbury

Swicegood, Scott
Salisbury

SAMPSON

Hall, Mary Earlene
Autryville

Jackson, Herman Lynn
Roseboro

Rich, Johnny
Garland

Dunn
Warren, Jerry Davis

SCOTLAND

Butler, Julie
Laurel Hill

Robinson, Curtis
Robinson, Margaret
Robinson, Nellie
Hamlet

Smith, William H., Jr.
Gibson

STANLEY

Ballard, Treva
Norwood

Burleson, Judy
Albemarle

Burris, Elton
Albemarle

James, Stacey Lamar
Albemarle

Little, Diane
Little, Dona
Little, Worth Jr.
Albemarle

STOKES

Lewis, Mary Pamela
Walnut Cove

SURRY

Cummings, Imogene
Ararat

Lawson, Libby
Pilot Mountain

Taylor, Dean Russell
Pilot Mountain

SWAIN

Herron, Barbara
Herron, Kenneth
Herron, Wayne
Bryson City

TRANSYLVANIA

Buchanan, Gladys
Brevard

McCall, Linda
Brevard

Owens, Emmett Dwight
Brevard

Phillips, Vicki Lynn
Brevard

Snipes, Donna Pauline
Brevard

UNION

Funderburk, Brenda A.
Monroe

Helms, Gene
Monroe

Witmore, Randy
Wingate

VANCE

Blanks, B. Ray
Henderson

Purcell, Helen Mae
Purcell, John B., III.
Townsville

WAKE

Choplin, Faye Marie
Wake Forest

Coker, Latricia Dale
Raleigh

Davis, Brenda Kate
Raleigh

Donnelly, Tom
Raleigh

Dawdy, Lemuel David
Cary

Graham, Anna Dortch
Raleigh

Johnson, Joan Carol
Apex

Kirk, Brenda Faye
Raleigh

Midgette, Howard B., Jr.
Garner

Milligan Currie "Kenny"
Wake Forest

Rambeaut, Dale
Garner

Seagroves, Margaret
Raleigh

Scarboro, Ann
Wendell

Snakenburg, Kaye
Raleigh

Spence, Jean
Raleigh

Spence, Ruth
Raleigh

Tant, Steve
Raleigh

Wilkinson, Lillian
Raleigh

Yeargan, Frances
Garner

WARREN

Fortner, Archie
Norlina

Silver, Roberta
Hollister

WASHINGTON

Williams, Kay
Roper

Winesett, Debra
Plymouth

WATAUGA

Miller, Dennis
Miller, Johnny
Triplett

WAYNE

Atkinson, Leslie
Goldsboro

Beamon, Judy
Goldsboro

Best, Nora
Goldsboro

Bordeaux, Danny
Goldsboro

Bowie, Charles E.
Goldsboro

Cannon, Kenneth E.
Goldsboro

Edwards, Ginny
Goldsboro

Frye, Ricky
Goldsboro

Herring, Joyce
Goldsboro

Merritt, Ronald
Goldsboro

Power, Diana
Power, Steven T.
Mt. Olive

Starling, Shirley E.
Goldsboro

WILKES

Alexander, Dean
N. Wilkesboro

Barnes, Johnny
Boomer

Clanton, Dee
Boomer

Coleman, Diane
Cycle

Johnson, Archie G.
Wilkesboro

Triplett, Mickie
Traphill

WILSON

Dilda, Judy
Wilson

Grady, Dennis F.
Wilson

Matthews, Pamela H.
Wilson

Turner, Judy Ann
Sims

Rogers, Yvonne
Saratoga

Williams, Charles Roy
Elm City

YADKIN

Bishop, James
Yadkinville

Bullin, Pamela
Yadkinville

Hutchens, Ray
Yadkinville

Shaffner, Carolyn
Shaffner, Mary Ann
Jonesville

Smith, Becky
Battleboro

Williams, Tammy Arlene
East Bend

YANCEY

Robinson, Edward
Burnsville

OUT-OF-STATE

Children with Guardians
in the State and / or chil-
dren of Armed Services
Personnel

Couch, Victoria D.
Greenville, S. C.

Durham, Travis Keith
Columbia, S. C.

Gilmore, Stephen T.
Montezuma, Ga.

McDaniel, Orville Lee
Columbia, S. C.

Stuckey, Patrick Lynn
Stuckey, Richard
Chesapeake, Va.

Short, Diane
Danville, Va.

Williamson, John B.
Arlington, Va.



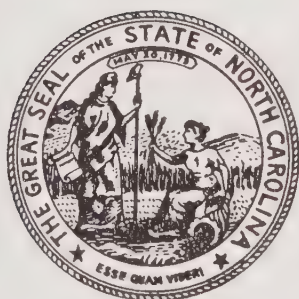
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Letter or Transmittal

His Excellency, Dan K. Moore
Governor of North Carolina
Executive Chamber
Raleigh, North Carolina

Dear Sir:

The Board of Directors of the North Carolina School for the Deaf has the honor to transmit to your excellency its thirty-eighth biennial report, and respectfully ask your careful examination of the condition, progress, and needs of the school.

The members of the Board wish to express their appreciation for your active interest in, and your courteous consideration of, the needs of the School.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. James C. Farthing

July 1, 1966

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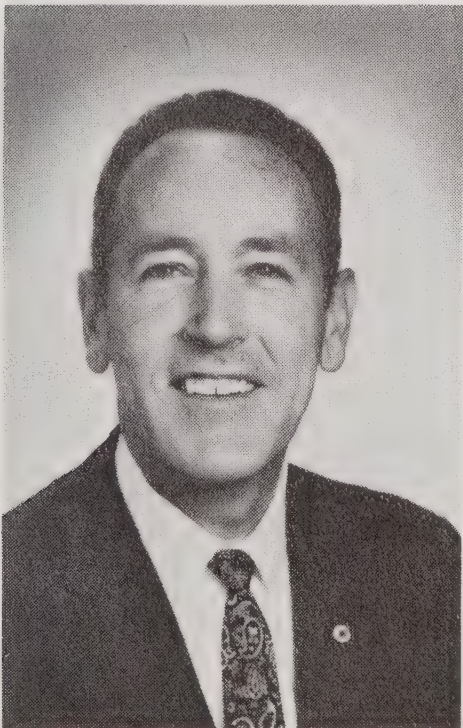
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Principal

Business Manager



David M. Denton



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Letter of Transmittal

Members of the Board:

It is my duty and privilege to submit to you a report on the operation of the School for the years 1964-66.

Significant features of this report are: *The Superintendent's Report, The Business Manager's Report, General Information concerning the School and a pictorial section which shows the work of the School in pictures.*

It is indeed a pleasure and an honor to submit this report to you.

Respectfully submitted,

Ben E. Hoffmeyer, *Superintendent*



OUR SYMBOL OF LIFE: THE CLOCK TOWER has been there since the day the School opened on "Vine Hill"; its clock faces point to the next thing to be done; its beautiful symmetry is a memory that goes with us wherever we go.



His Excellency, Dan K. Moore
Governor of North Carolina

General Information

The North Carolina School for the Deaf at Morganton is a state supported residential school the deaf. It is located on a campus of approximately 75-acres. This campus is surrounded by farm lands that belong to the School. There is a total of 255 acres of land located on the southern limits of Morganton. The School also owns 500 acres in the South Mountains and this is the water shed area for the School.

Physical facilities include twelve buildings and ten residences. Ample playground and athletic facilities are available.

It is the purpose of this school to provide an educational program for boys and girls, who because of profound or partial deafness, are unable to profit by the instruction given in schools for hearing children. The course of instruction is intended to furnish the deaf child with as much academic subject matter as he can absorb. An Academic High School Course is offered, plus an extensive program in Vocational Education. Graduates are generally qualified in one vocation, and either get employment or go on to college at Gallaudet College, Washington, D. C. Gallaudet is the only college for the deaf in the world.

Approximately fourteen years are required to complete the high school course. Students are admitted when they are five years of age. The class size ranges from 8 to 11 per class. Individual instruction is required to establish speech and lipreading for the deaf child. Individual hearing aids are used by those who have a remnant of hearing. Powerful classroom group hearing aids are installed in twenty-two classrooms.

Pupils are grouped by achievement and age into three distinct departments: Primary School, Middle School and Upper School. Each department has a supervising teacher. The Principal is over all instruction, including Vocational Training and Physical Education.

The School considers Sunday School work part of its responsibility and all children attend. Sunday School is taught by the teachers. Approximately one-fifth are on duty each Sunday. Church service is held for children 12 years of age and over. Missionaries for the deaf preach a non-denominational sermon and use the sign language.

Applications and Admissions

Applications and request for information should be addressed to the Superintendent.

Children are admitted at five years of age and above. Medical records must show that the child has a hearing loss severe enough to prevent him from attending public school. A child must have mental capacity adequate to be considered educable. Generally an Intelligence Quotient of 70 is required. Transfers from public school can be made at any time, if the child is not making progress due to a hearing loss.

Fees

No tuition, room or board is charged since the School is a part of the free public school system. A school fee of \$25.00 per year, per child, is charged to cover school supplies and student activity fee.

New Eastern School at Wilson, North Carolina

During the school year 1964-65, the new Eastern School for the Deaf at Wilson opened. Seventy-two younger children from the Eastern part of the state were transferred from the School at Morganton. In June of 1965 the Eastern School had an enrollment of 115 with more applications for younger children for the fall of 1965 than there was space to enroll. The 1965 Legislature was appealed to for funds to add the second phase of buildings to this school, and funds were granted. During the school year 1963-64 the School at Morganton reached a peak enrollment of 558 making it the largest school for the deaf in the United States. Even with the transfer of 72 children to the Eastern School in the spring of 1965, the School at Morganton opened in the fall of 1965 with 505 students, and a few younger children could not be entered due to lack of space for them.

The State's population has continued to increase, and all indications are that it will continue to climb; likewise the number of deaf increases. We will need to either expand the facilities at Morganton, or expansion will have to be made elsewhere in the state's facilities, especially in view of present integration which has brought additional pupils to the School at Morganton. High School pupils will continue to attend at Morganton, and all younger children from the Western part of the state will continue to attend

at Morganton. It is hoped that the second phase of the School at Wilson can be opened in the fall of 1967, and this will take care of more children from the East.

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Mr. Marvin Odie Tuttle	Driver Training and Coach
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Mr. Carl L. Williams	Auto Body Repair
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Mrs. Lillian V. Houck	Head Dietitian
Dr. W. H. Patton	School Physician
Doctors Coffey, Falls and Diercks	School Dentists
Dr. E. W. Phifer	Surgeon (Part-time)
Mrs. Martha E. Nantz, R. N.	School Nurse
Mrs. Christine D. Reid, R. N.	School Nurse
Miss Hazel N. Glenn	Ass't Nurse
Mrs. Hazel Pritchard	Prac. Nurse
Miss Mamie E. Brackett	Nurses Aid
Mrs. Gertie Conner	Helper
Mrs. Elizabeth Rusmisell	Food Service, Main Building
Mrs. Annie G. Dale	Food Service, Goodwin Hall
Mrs. Fannie Brackett	Food Service, Hoffmeyer Hall
Mrs. Mary Tessneer	Food Service, Rankin Hall
Mrs. Ruth Y. Silver	Chief Counselor, Rankin Hall
Mrs. Nell B. Mundy	Chief Counselor, Goodwin Hall
Mr. Edward Plemmons	Chief Counselor, Hoffmeyer Hall
Miss E. Elgiva Shepard	Chief Counselor, Main Building
Mrs. Ellen M. Cullen	Head Counselor, Goodwin Hall
Miss Emmie Lou Mace	Head Counselor, Goodwin Hall
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Mrs. Eva Stewart	Head Counselor, Rankin Hall
Mr. Bobby N. Clark	Head Counselor, Hoffmeyer Hall
Mr. Fred F. Rusmisell	Plant Engineer
Mr. Charles Street	Head, Laundry Department

Superintendent's Report

As Superintendent of the North Carolina School for the Deaf at Morganton, I herewith submit the Thirty-eighth Biennial Report for the years 1964-66. Enrollment for the 1964-65 school year was 492, and for 1965-66, it was 516.

There were several significant events during the biennium. One of these was the sale of 132 acres of land to be used for a Comprehensive Community Junior College. The land was sold by the School to the College for \$95,000. The School has approximately 250 acres of land remaining for future expansion when deemed necessary.

The Community College may be an asset in that it is possible that some of the older students might be able to take advanced academic and vocational training at the college in future years.

The General Assembly of 1965 appropriated sufficient funds, \$383,000 for three Capital Improvement projects on the campus: (1) A Student Union and Girls Physical Education Building was approved and an appropriation of \$305,000 was granted for it. (2) A \$60,000 appropriation was granted for an addition to the infirmary which consists of isolation wards and a playroom. (3) appropriation of \$18,000 was granted to resurface all of the roads on the campus.

The Federal Government increased the Teacher Training scholarships from five to eight at Lenoir-Rhyne College on the undergraduate level, and continued four scholarships at the graduate level at Appalachian State Teachers College. Both colleges are affiliated with the School in the Teacher Training program for training teachers of the deaf in its nationally accredited program. Appropriations for General Operation were increased and adequate funds were available to operate the school at a high level of educational efficiency.

The instructional program made significant advances. An ex-

perimental program is being carried on using the simultaneous method of speech and fingerspelling at all levels. It is an effort to bring more fluent language to the deaf child which will help him in all methods of communication; oral, speech, lipreading, writing and reading.

Mrs. Frances E. Davis, Building Principal of the Advanced Department retired at the end of the 1965 year after 42 years of service. Mrs. Jane C. Williams was elected to fill the position left vacant by Mrs. Davis' retirement. Mrs. Williams holds a B.S. degree from Duke University and a Master's degree in Speech and Hearing from the University of North Carolina. She also had 12 years of teaching experience at all levels at the North Carolina School for the Deaf, giving her an unusually excellent background for the position.

The biennium of 1964-66 saw noticeable advances in the upgrading of the educational program of the school and of its facilities. The North Carolina School for the Deaf at Morganton is highly regarded nationally and has an excellent record for preparing students for college, for employment and for life.

I consider it an honor to be of service to the State and the deaf of North Carolina.

Respectfully submitted,

Ben E. Hoffmeyer, *Superintendent*

Departmental Reports

Household Life

Dormitory life has received more attention in the last biennium due to a Dean of Students who gives his full-time to the supervision of counselors (houseparents) and their programs for the children during the out of school hours.

Hours were reduced by law to 40 hours average which allowed some accumulative leave pay to be paid beyond the close of school. This increased the yearly pay of the counselors.

Recruiting continues to be a problem, since most of the counselors are required to live in the dormitories and the hours are long.

Training has been planned by scheduling a full week of training during the week prior to the opening of school. This should lead to a more efficient program of counseling and upgrade the professional standards of the position.

Dietary

The aim of the dietary department is to serve students and staff who live in, a well-balanced diet which comes within the budget. This has been successfully accomplished. It will be necessary to request a reasonable increase in the food budget for the coming biennium to meet the rising costs and a steadily rising enrollment.

Health

The 1964-66 Biennium has found the students in remarkably good health. Epidemics of colds and such have been kept down to a minimum among the children, and the infirmary has operated well under the direction of Dr. W. H. Patton, Jr., School Physician. The \$14,000 appropriated for remodeling the bathrooms, electric and plumbing facilities at the infirmary and for putting vinyl

asbestos tile on the floors accomplished this purpose and the infirmary is now a much more modern and better arranged building. Other improvements are needed, but it is felt that they can wait for some months. The money provided for a maid to help keep the building clean has also proven a wonderful aid to the nurses and doctors and gives them more free time for caring for sick children.

All parents receive the following notice regarding medical care in a general letter sent to them at the beginning of each school year by the Superintendent:

State law requires the following inoculations and/or vaccines before entrance: 1. Diphthria, 2. Tetanus, 3. Whooping Cough, 4. Smallpox and 5. Polio (all shots must be completed). If tonsils and adenoids need removing it must be done at home. Any other operations are to be done at home unless they are emergencies arising at the school, then the parent is contacted and requested to come to the school and make hospital arrangements if possible. Eyes are to be examined and glasses fitted if needed before coming to school. Teeth examined, and all dental work done before entrance. In emergencies only does the school have glasses fitted and dental work done, then parents are responsible for the bills.

The School has an Infirmary for the care of minor sickness. There is no charge to parents for this service or for drugs used, except especially prescribed drugs. If a child is sick enough to go the town hospital, parents must take care of his expenses there, just as they would have to do if the child lived at home. If a parent does not wish a child to play certain games, the Superintendent should be notified in writing. The School assumes no responsibility for injuries sustained in games. It does exercise every possible precaution.

Maintenance Department

The Maintenance Department under the direction of Engineer, Mr. Fred Rusmisell has accomplished with its own force more than we ever hoped they could do in the way of general upkeep, and painting. The grounds have also been greatly improved in the last biennium.

Laundry Department

Due to increased enrollment this department has been enlarged somewhat in the past biennium. Under the management of Mr. C. L. Street it has turned out good work and is now fully meeting the needs of the institution. Equipment in general is adequate. This department is considered semivocational as a part of students training.

Report of the Business Manager

Summary Statement of State Appropriated Funds Biennium 1964-66

	1964-65	1965-66
MAINTENANCE:		
Appropriation:		
Maintenance and Operation	\$1,142,924.00	\$1,161,635.00
Institutional Receipts	57,600.00	52,450.00
Total Available	\$1,200,524.00	\$1,214,085.00

EXPENDITURES:

Maintenance and Operation	\$1,101,354.08	\$1,174,533.42
Total Expenditures	1,101,354.08	1,174,533.42
Unexpended Balance	\$ 99,169.92	\$ 39,551.58

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT:

Balance, July 1		
Code 66533		\$ 288,000.00
Code 66334	\$ 69,151.30	2,946.53
Code 65938	23,516.06	14,427.90
Receipts		96,059.00
Total Available	\$ 92,667.36	\$ 401,433.43

EXPENDITURES:

All Capital Improvement Codes	\$ 75,292.93	\$ 33,879.87
Unexpended Balance, June 30	\$ 17,374.43	\$ 367,553.56

Pictorial Section

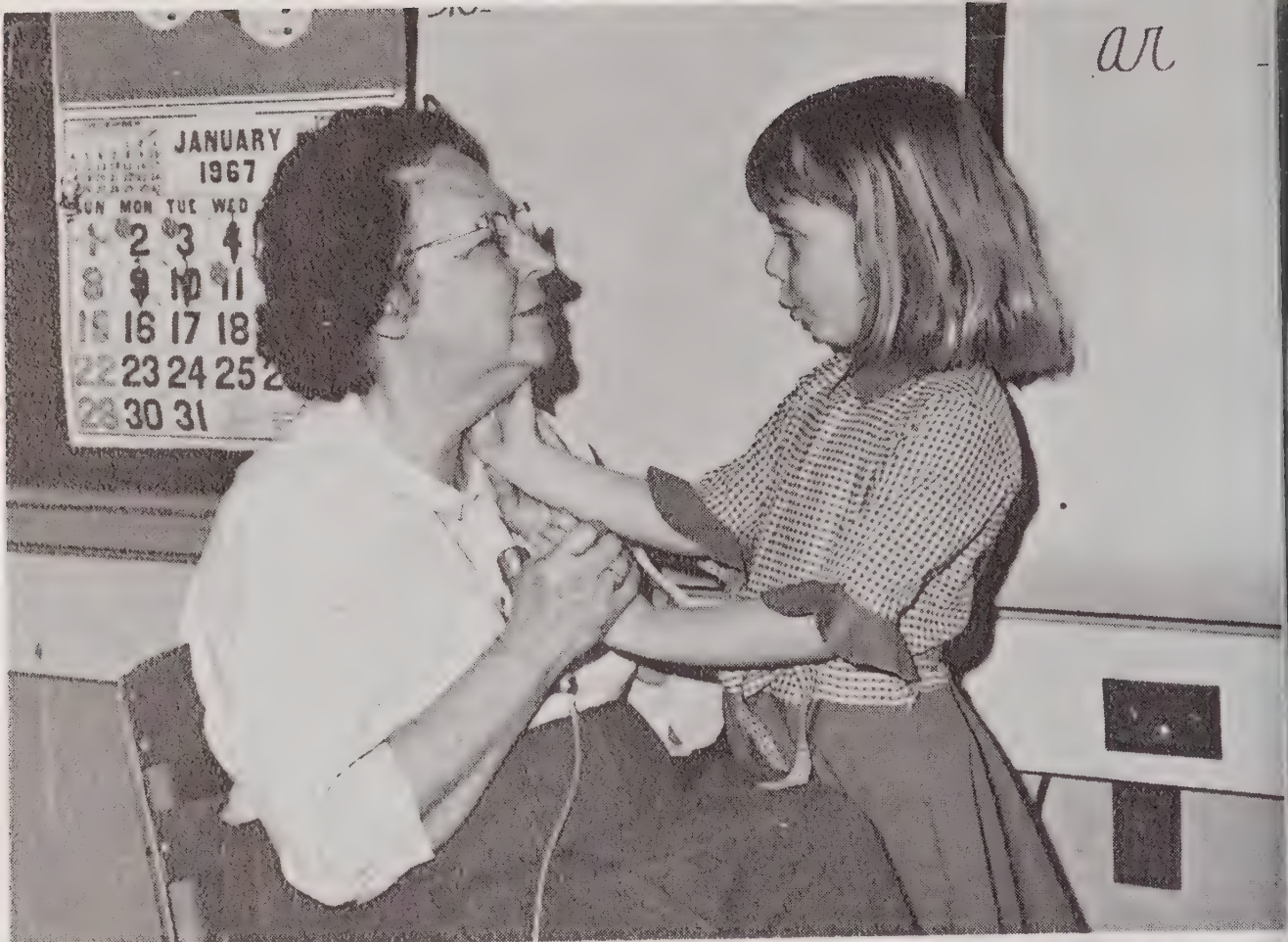




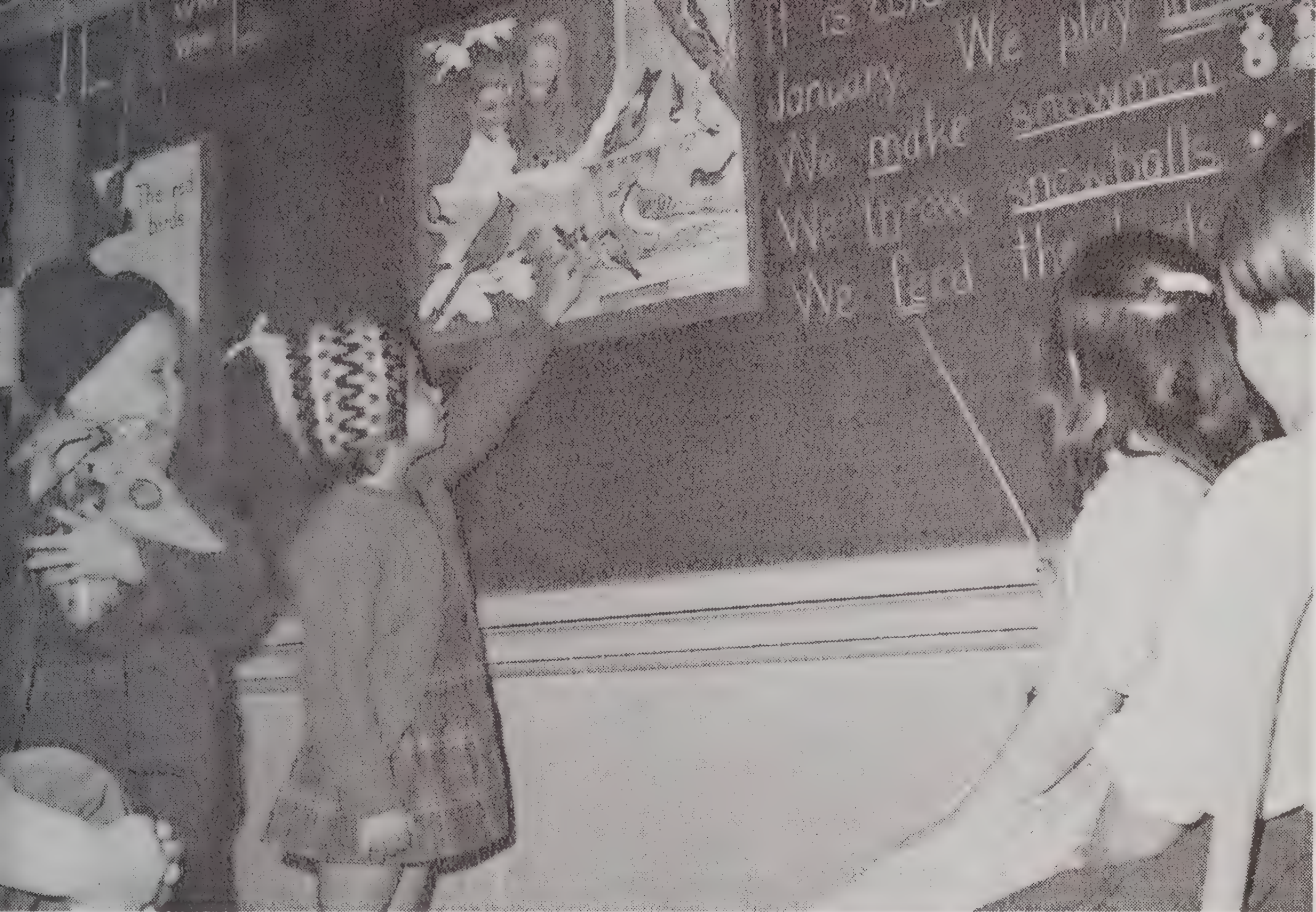
ABOVE — A birthday party is always a big event in Rankin Hall.
BELOW — A time for free play is a part of the regular daily schedule.



ABOVE — The children learn early to care for their own personal needs.
BELOW — Self-reliance is learned through the sharing of responsibility.



ABOVE — Individual instruction in speech is very important for the deaf child.
BELOW — Communication involving a combination of speech and fingerspelled English.

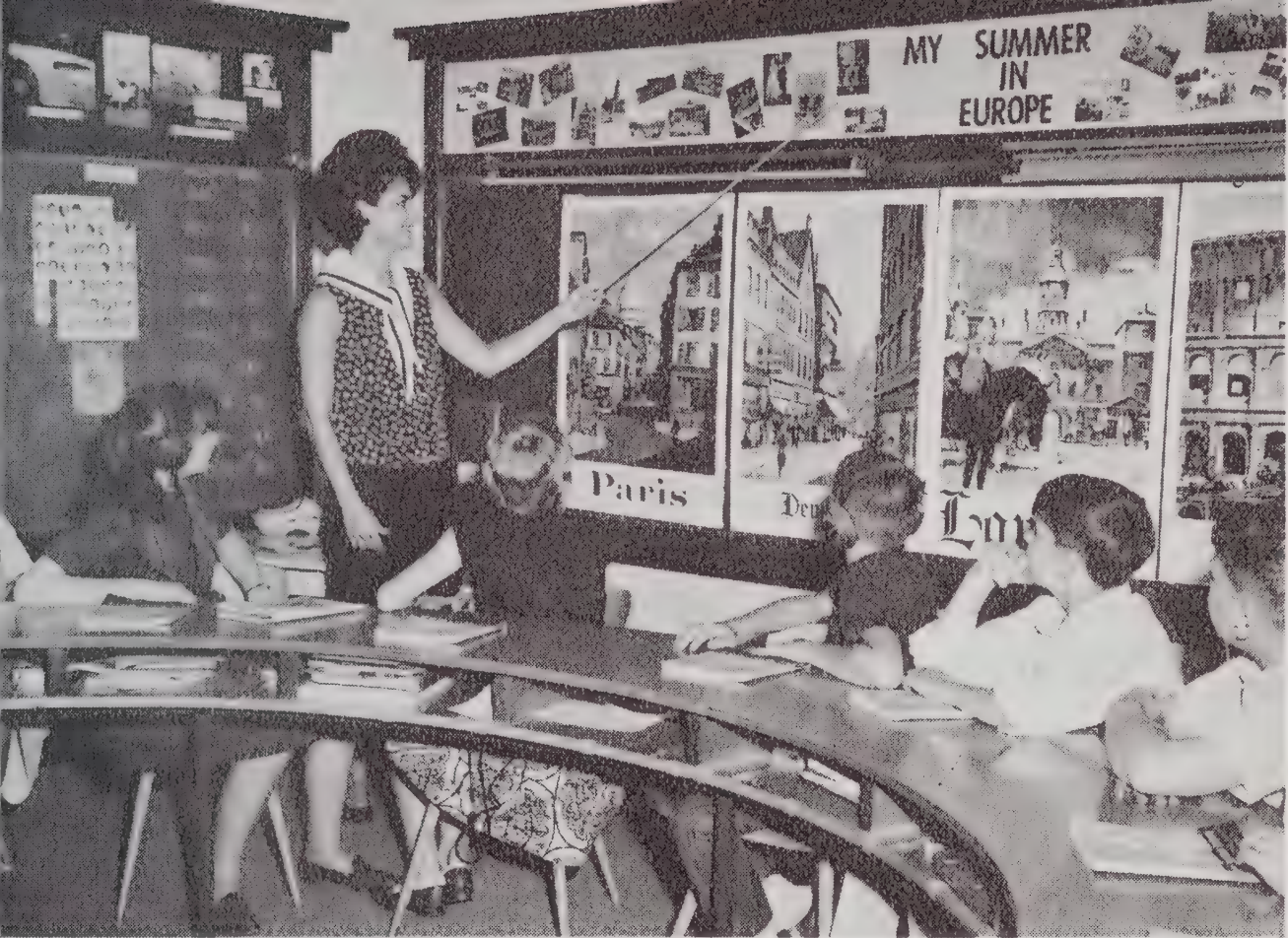


ABOVE — A lesson in language comes to life when tied to an experience.

BELOW — The development of skills in speech reading requires extensive drill.

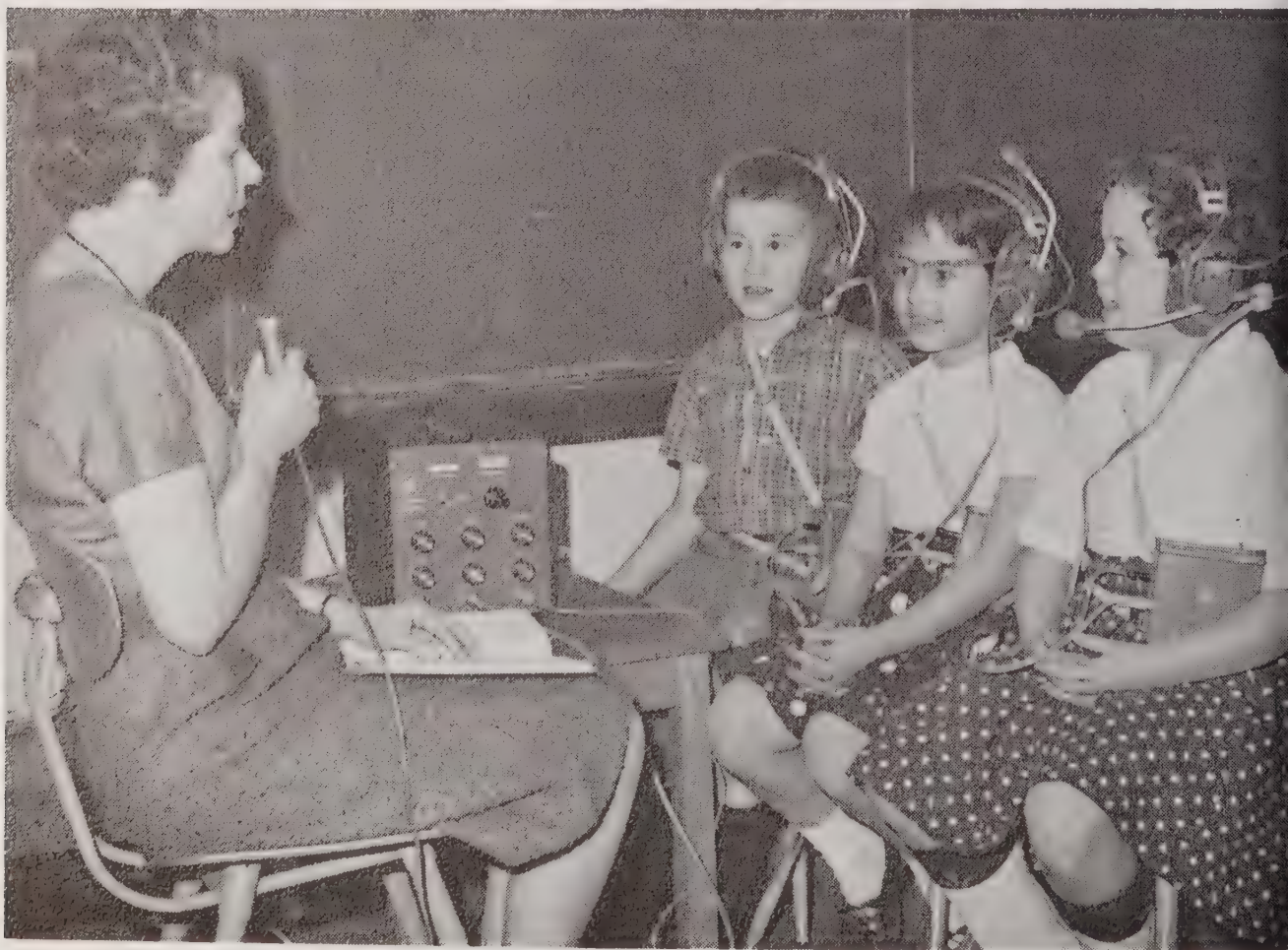


Joiner Hall, classroom building for the intermediate department. The pupils enjoy a moments of fun and frolic during recess.



ABOVE — The deaf child learns primarily through his sense of vision.

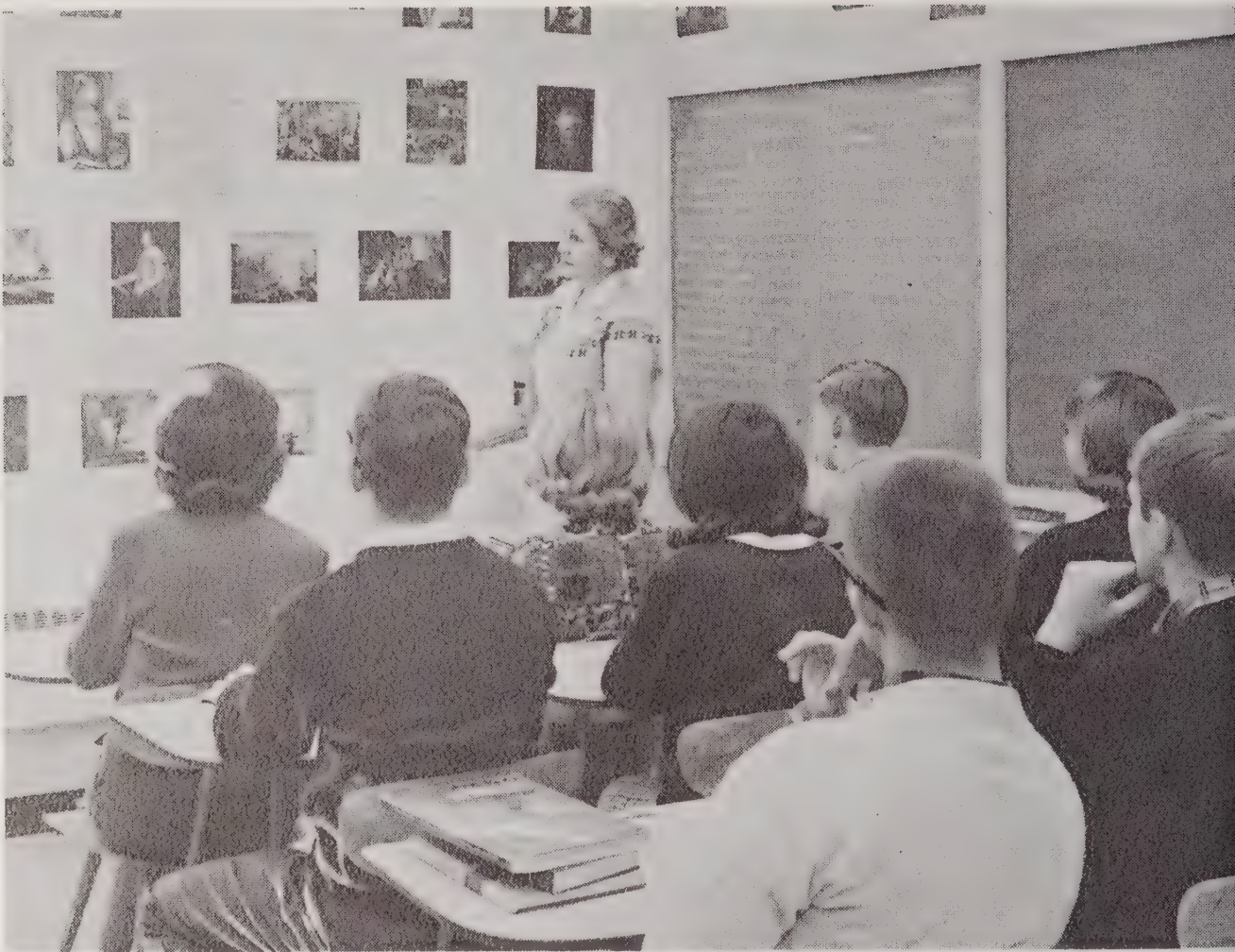
BELOW — The use of audio-visual equipment is a definite aid to learning.



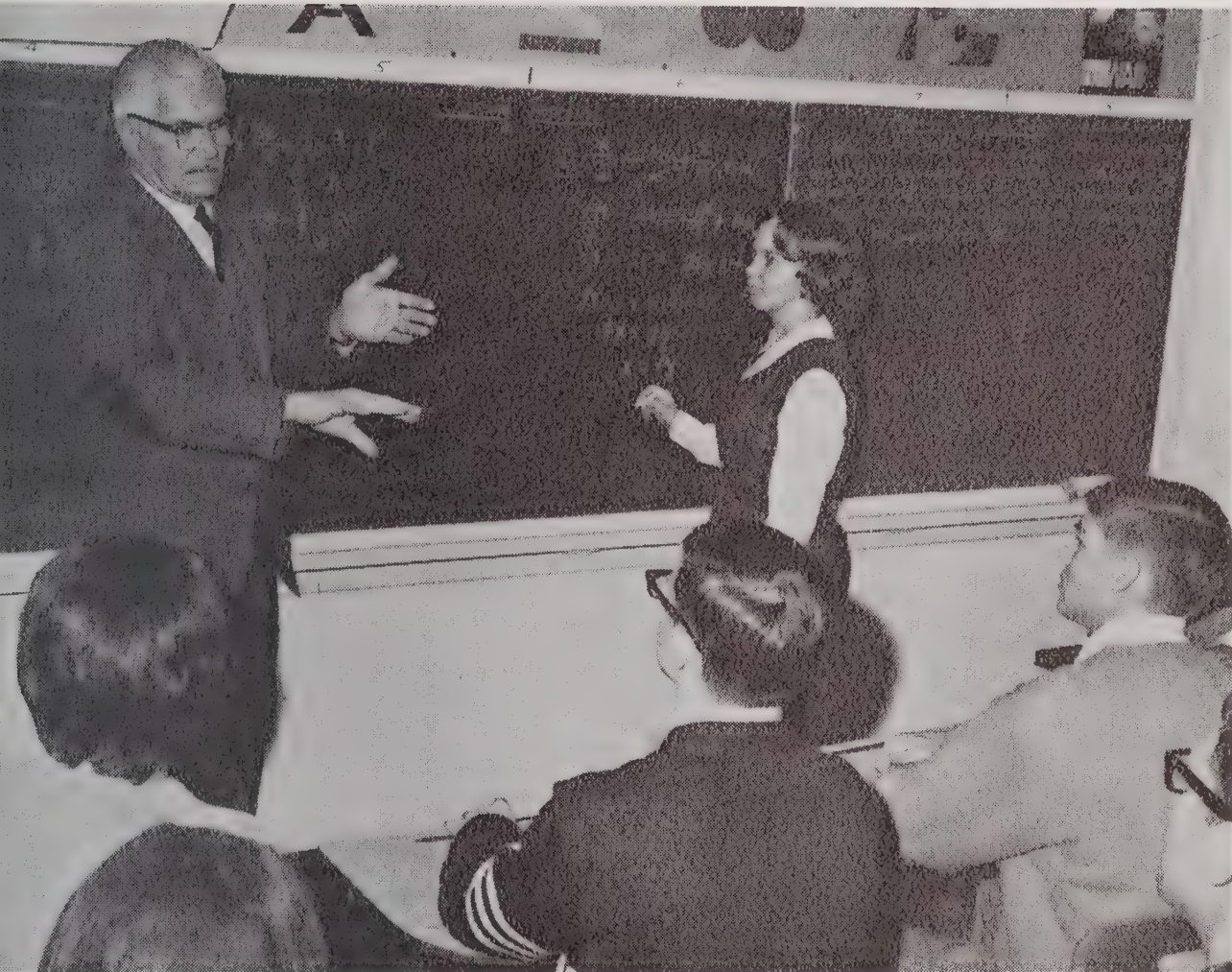
ABOVE — A continuing effort is made to develop strong reading skills.
BELOW — This classroom is equipped with a walk-away auditory training unit.



ABOVE — A scene from the infirmary, the school's center for medical services.
BELOW — Construction is underway on a new multi-purpose building.



ABOVE — Cultural enrichment has its own proper place in the classroom.
BELOW — A group of high school students making use of the central library.

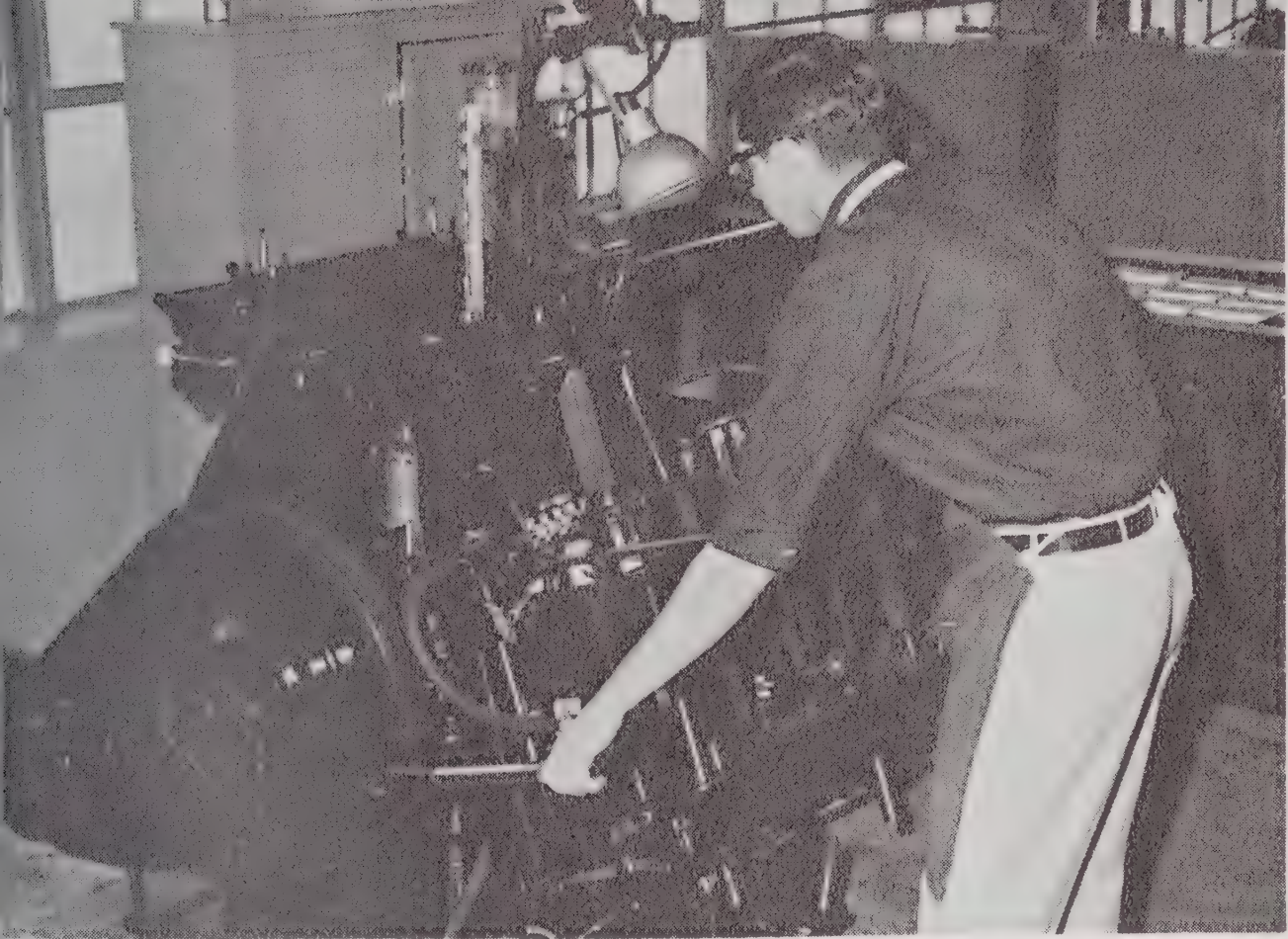


ABOVE — A senior class seen in the midst of a math lesson.

BELOW — High school students involved in a laboratory experiment in science.



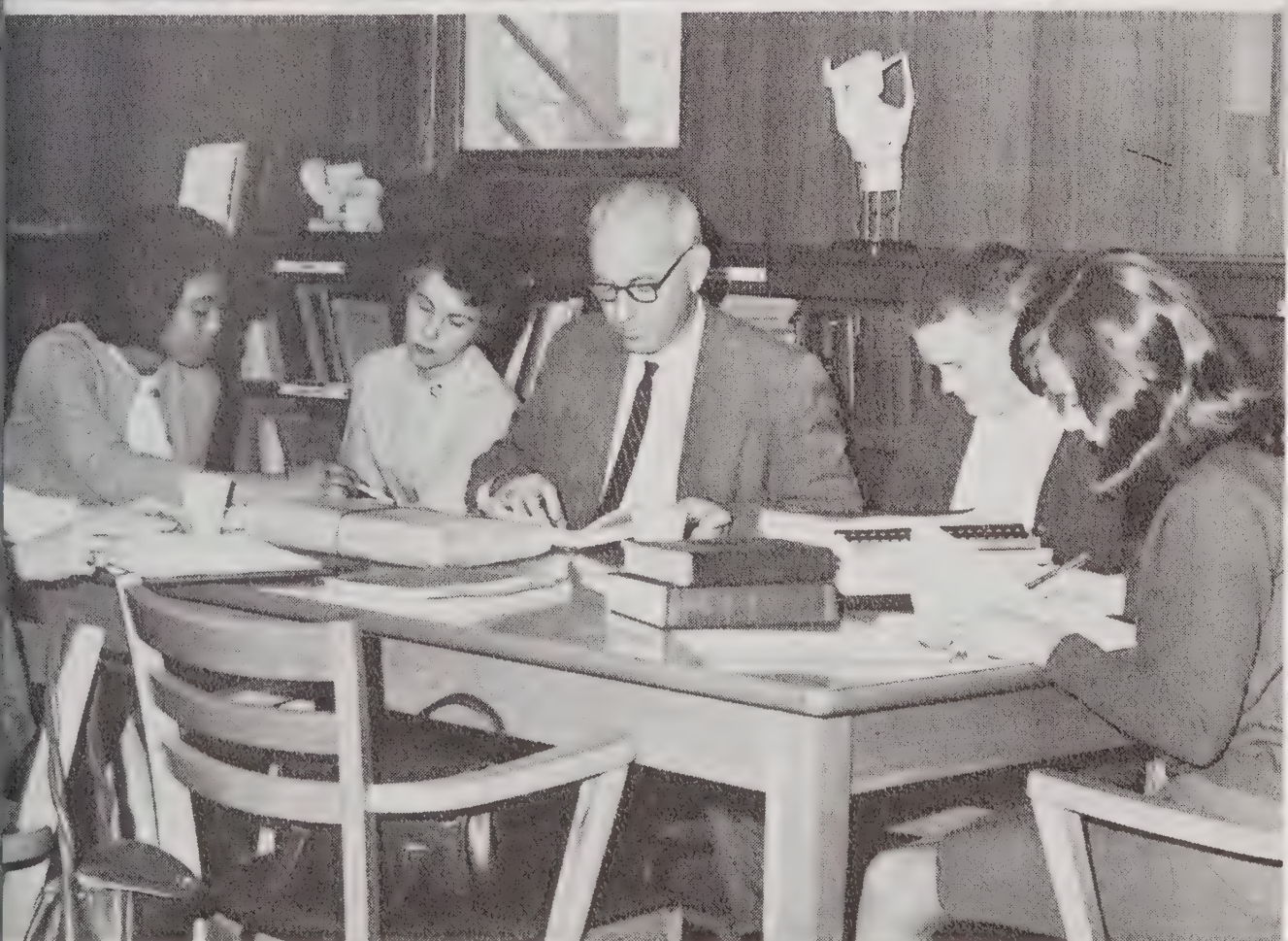
ABOVE — The diversified physical education facilities include a three-hole golf course.
BELOW — A tense moment in the midst of an important game.



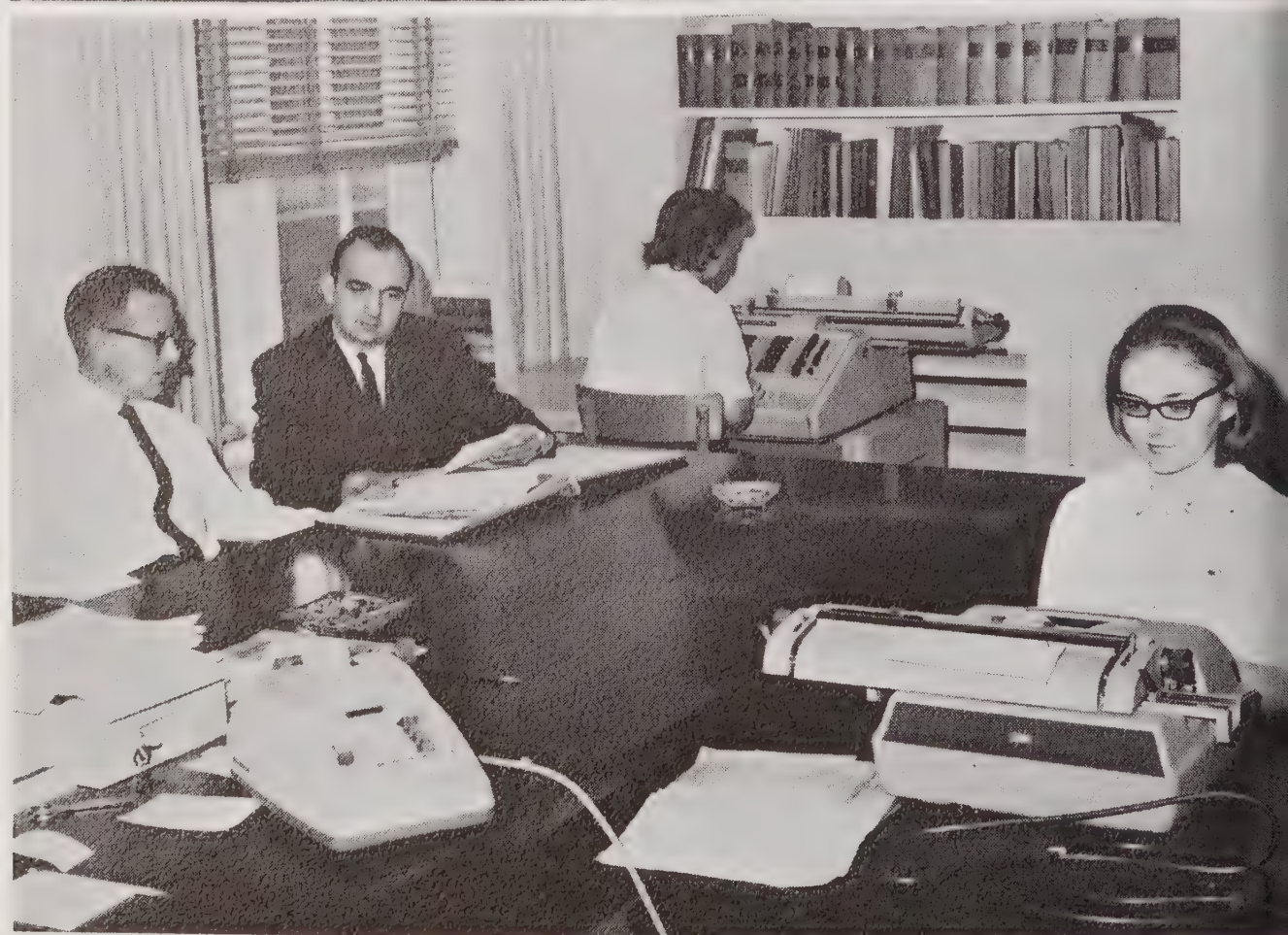
ABOVE — One of the students in the printing class operating the Heidelberg press.
BELOW — Here a student receives instruction on the operation of a metal lathe.



Graduation — A highlight in the life of every student. The seniors are shown with the junior marshalls and the class mascots.



ABOVE — Teacher Training is a long-established part of the total school program.
BELOW — Teachers in training hard at study in the school's professional library.



ABOVE — The audiological testing laboratory serves the pupils and the teacher training class.
BELOW — The business office—an important place in the administration of the school.

ROLL OF GRADUATING STUDENTS 1964-66

(The following students either graduated or withdrew from school)

ACADEMIC AND VOCATIONAL DIPLOMAS — June 4, 1965

Beaver, Sharon Lee	Childers, John David
Johnson, Archie Gene	Kennedy, Marion Alexander
Lisenby, Paula Ann	Pitts, Patricia Ann
Tolley, Ronald Owen	Yarborough, Marvin Edward

ACADEMIC DIPLOMAS — June 4, 1965

Greene, James Ray	Matsen, Richard Henry
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VOCATIONAL DIPLOMAS — June 4, 1965

Darnell, Juanita	Morgan, Barbara
Roberts, Howard Michael	Shores, Donald Edward
Stalcup, Barbara Elaine	Stephens, Nell Elizabeth
Arrington, Shirley Mae	Batchelor, Geraldine
Hawley, Ralph Randolph	Reece, Carolyn Sue
Rogers, Lois Yvonne	Stutts, Jerry Wayne
	Hickman, Sherlyn Lana

VOCATIONAL CERTIFICATES — June 4, 1965

Jones, James Wallace	Herring, Emily Joyce
Bishop, James Russell	Melton, Larry Parks

CERTIFICATES OF ATTENDANCE — June 4, 1965

Buchanan, Gladys	Conner, Roy, Jr.
Davis, Edna Louise	Mabe, Carolyn Luzelle
	Small, Mickey

Students who left during the school year 1964-65 for various reasons:

Crawford, James Ray	Dziennik, Carol
Elliott, Robin	Freeman, Margaret Lorraine
Holcombe, Deanna	Isenhour, Linda
Kirkpatrick, Pamela	Lawrence, Glenda
McKinney, John	McKinney, Melissa
McKinney, Robert	Suttles, Dianna
Thompson, Nancy	Oliver, Linda Sue
Lohr, Eddie	Clore, Brenda F.
Parrott, Sandra	Adams, James
Chambers, Brenda	McMinn, Karen
McGuirt, Kay	Russell, John
Proctor, Wanda	Short, Michael
Berrong, Faye	Couch, Victoria

**N. C. School for the Deaf Students Receiving Diplomas, Academic
and/or Vocational Certificates — June 5, 1966**

B. Ray Blanks	Elaine Virginia Boyd
Judy Ann Burleson	Michael Cooke
Sylvia Dianne Cooley	Patricia Ann Cornett
Virgil E. Jockisch	Sandra Louise McAbee
Judith Delores McGee	William Jackson Mitchell
Judy Sue Phillips	Virginia Kaye Snakenburg
Richard Lewis Stuckey	Lillian Elizabeth Wilkinson
Vicky Parker Tart	Fredna Elma McKnight
William Thomas Edwards	Johnny Thurston Barnes
Violet Mae Moore	Roy Thomas Page
	Margaret Seagroves

**Students carried as far as possible in school and given Certificates
of Attendance at the end of the 1965-66 school year:**

Michael Dwaine Branch	Russell Ray Childers
Willie Gene Harrell	Donna Kay Langdon
Patrica Ann Owens	Ruby Gail Setzer
Faye Joy Simmons	Frances Louise Spivey

**Eleventh Grade Students who passed Gallaudet College Entrance
Examinations and left June 5, 1966 to attend college:**

Gary Chilton	Mary Lucile Gibbs
	Robert Sherman Jones

Students who left during 1965-66 school year for various reasons:

Adcock, Sherry	Miller, Johnny H.
Brown, Rachel	Cooke, Randy Lee
Buckner, Ricky Dean	Oxendine, James Michael
Coxe, George	Pitts, Patricia
Ethridge, Carol	Reynolds, Pamela
Ethridge, Lee	Snipes, Barbara Jean
Greene, Peggy	Tally, John Wayne
Kennedy, Marion A.	Verhoeven, Cary
Meshaw, Ann	Wilson, Nathaniel W.
	Whitson, Glenda Mae (deceased)

Teacher Training Graduates — June 5, 1965

Wallace Lee Bowling	Emily Joyner Poteat
Judy Karen Brandon	Eliza Jane Ray
LaFaye Faglie	Barbara Ann Reeves
Sally Barnes Forbes	Hobart Gilbert Royall, Jr.
Thomas Joseph Marr	Timothy Marshall Shane
Vicky Lee Mayle	Sandra Laqueta Simmons
Richard James Oblinger	Roberta Ann Webb
	Kathryn Elizabeth Yelton

Teacher Training Graduates — June 5, 1966

Sarah Jean Bagley	Hugh T. Prickett
Judy Ann Causby	Joseph I. Ricks
Josephine B. Hollingsworth	Patricia Sue Smith
Jo Hiergesell McCreary	Olouse A. Tullos
Burkett Kibler Bergl	Rebekah Lou Taylor
Lloyd Moore	Edna Zimmer
Stephen A. Mirman	Mary Gurney Wade
	Carolyn Lake

STUDENT ENROLLMENT — Biennium 1964-66

ALAMANCE

Batchelor, Sybil
Burlington

Farrell, Randy
Burlington

McGee, Kay
Graham

ALEXANDER

Fox, Darlene
Taylorsville

May, Tommy
Taylorsville

ALLEGHANY

Delp, Jack
Laurel Springs

ASHE

Bare, Jessie Marie
Jefferson

Cooper, Rebecca
W. Jefferson

Reeves, Allen
Grassy Creek

AVERY

Biddix, Allana G.
Crossnore

Clarke, Phylis Jean
Newland

Daniels, Susan
Newland

Morgan, Delores Jean
Newland

BEAUFORT

Boyd, Elaine Virginia
Pinetown

Boyd, Joyce
Pinetown

BERTIE

Jernigan Wm. Mahlon
Aulander

BLADEN

Meshaw, Ann
Clarkton

Merritt, Larry
White Oak

BRUNSWICK

Holden, Eddie
Shalotte

Moore, Violet M.
Shalotte

Potter, Anne
Southport

BUNCOMBE

Adcock, Gail
W. Asheville

Barnwell, Leon
Asheville

Black, Bertha Agnes
Leicester

Bouthot, David A.
Asheville

Christopher, Darlene
Candler

Collins, Steven
Asheville

Cunningham, Betty
Asheville

Hensley, Debbie
Asheville

Jamison, Nancy
Asheville

Ledford, Shirlene
Asheville

Lowe, Kenneth
Candler

McAbee, Brian
Asheville

McAbee, Sandra L.
Asheville

Phillips, Nell D.
Asheville

Sams, Edith
Asheville

Shook, Pamela
Asheville

Solesby, Eve
Asheville

Solesby, Lee Ellen
Asheville

Thomas, John L.
Weaverville

Wilson, Marcella
Asheville

BURKE

Adcock, Sherry
Morganton

Allen, Beverly
Morganton

Ballew, F. Ralph
Morganton

Bowman, Richard
Morganton

Bradshaw, Melba Jane
Rutherford College

Brantley, Winston
Morganton

Brittain, Alice G.
Morganton

Carswell, Kathy Bernice
Morganton

Carver, Ray
Connelly Springs

Clontz, Delores
Morganton

Cooke, Jay D.
Morganton

Cooper, Cathy
Morganton

Cordell, Ricky
Morganton

Cutshaw, Betty Jean
Morganton

Dover, Steve
Morganton

Dover, Vicki
Morganton

Fletcher, Herman
Morganton

Fletcher, Susan
Morganton

Gibbs, Jimmy
Morganton

Gibbs, Mary L.
Morganton

Greene, Helen
Morganton

Gregory, Beverley
Morganton

Hendrix, David R.
Morganton

Hoglen, Pamela
Morganton

Johnson, Anita
Morganton

Joyce, Patricia
Morganton

Kanoy, Billy
Morganton

Long, Tony Keith
Glen Alpine

McDonald, Peggy
Morganton

Medley, Mary Lois
Morganton

Mitchell, Jackson W.
Morganton

Monroe, Terri
Morganton

Morris, Stephen
Morganton

McGee, Arnold
Morganton

McGee, Kenneth
Morganton

McKnight, Fredna
Morganton

Nance, Thomas A.
Morganton

Parris, Marion
Morganton

Parsons, Frank
Morganton

Partin, Dallas
Glen Alpine

Patton, Mary
Morganton

Phillips, Wayne
Valdese

Plemmons, Linda
Morganton

Poteat, Randy
Morganton

Robinson, Barbara
Morganton

Saulman, Ricky C.
Morganton

Sechrest, Joy
Morganton

Setzer, Eva Ray
Morganton

Simmons, Cheryl
Valdese

Sisk, Gerald C.
Morganton

Smith, John Wayne
Morganton

Towery, Steve Ray
Valdese

Wilkie, Elaine
Morganton

Williams, Sandra
Morganton

CABARRUS

Davis, Donna Renee
Kannapolis

Kirk, Guy
Concord

Lambert, Don Evan
Concord

Moss, Roger
Kannapolis

Patterson, Earl
Concord

Rich, Elton Ray
Concord

Shimpock, Herman, Jr.
Concord

Taylor, Bobby
Harrisburg

CALDWELL

Benfield, Ronnie
Granite Falls

Bentley, Ricky
Lenoir

Bentley, Sandra
Lenoir

Dula, Rickey Von
Hickory

Eller, Christine
Lenoir

Eller, Virginia
Lenoir

Farthing, Kelly
Lenoir

Houck, Terry
Lenoir

Kirby, Susan
Granite Falls

Martin, Jeffrey A.
Lenoir

Mathes, Johnny
Lenoir

Moretz, Keith
Lenoir

Thompson, Billy
Lenoir

Triplett, Larry
Lenoir

CASWELL

Oakley, Robert
Semora

Oakley, Shirley
Semora

Oakley, Wayne Nelson
Semora

CATAWBA

Bowman, Chas. E.
Newton

Cook, Ronda
Hickory

Drum, Debbie
Newton

Emmet, Lynn
Hickory

Emmet, Patsy
Hickory

Fry, David
Hickory

Melvin, Wm. Edgar, Jr.
Conover

Morton, Barbara
Hickory

Norwood, Donald
Newton

Pitts, Patricia
Hickory

Reeves, Donald
Hickory

Setzer, Ruby
Hickory

Sigmon, Joyce Ann
Hickory

Sigmon, Myra
Maiden

Snow, Melba
Hickory

Snow, Wayne
Hickory

Stafford, Jimmy
Hickory

Stephens, Hal
Hickory

Watson, Jeff
Hickory

CHATHAM

Neal, Ronald
Pittsboro

Stout, Claude L.
Pittsboro

CHEROKEE

Sneed, Patsy
Murphy

CLAY

Nelson, John Owen
Hayesville

CLEVELAND

Click, Billy
Shelby

Hamrick, John Berry
Shelby

CLEVELAND

Hicks, Boyd Edward
Shelby

Horton, Debra
Kings Mt.

Page, Roy Thomas
Shelby

Self, Martha
Casar

Smith, Shelia
Lawndale

Thomasson, Pamela
Kings Mt.

Walker, Larry
Lawndale

COLUMBUS

Milligan, Marion
Chadbourn

Rockwell, Kay
Whiteville

CRAVEN

Cannady, Donna
New Bern

Clark, Una
New Bern

Lancaster, Steve
Vanceboro

CUMBERLAND

Cooke, Michael P.
Fayetteville

Jackson, Carl
Linden

Johnson, Nancy
Fayetteville

Medina, Jaun Antonio
Fort Bragg

Warren, Steve
Fayetteville

DAVIDSON

Clark, Tommy
Thomasville

Everhart, Billy
Lexington

Klein, Barbara
Lexington

Mabe, Mike
Thomasville

Miller, Wayne
Lexington

Peeler, John Michael
Lexington

Ridge, Barbara
Denton

Ripple, Philip Ray
Thomasville

Snider, Dana
Linwood

Tysinger, Chris
Lexington

Young, Ann
Lexington

DAVIE

Harris, Billy
Mocksville

Moorefield, Sonja
Mocksville

Trexler, Billy Ray
Cooleemee

DUPLIN

Holmes, Haywood
Kenansville

Miller, Jimmy
Beulaville

Powell, Lois Ann
Wallace

Rivenbark, Steve
Warsaw

DURHAM

Eubanks, Kathy
Durham

Moore, Barbara Jean
Durham

Russell, Peggy
Durham

Williams, Maroney H.
Durham

EDGECOMBE

Harrell, Willie G.
Tarboro

FORSYTH

Blanchette, Leighton
Winston-Salem

Bowman, Billie Jane
Winston-Salem

Brannock, Emmett
Winston-Salem

Bowman, James Wesley
Winston-Salem

Bullins, Pamela
Pfafftown

Burchette, E. Nelson
Winston-Salem

Cornett, Patricia A.
Rural Hall

Haddock, Stuart
Winston-Salem

Hancock, Dale
Winston-Salem

Jones, James
Kernersville

McInnis, Susan
Winston-Salem

Seats, Andy
Clemmons

Sloan, Mary G.
Pfafftown

Snyder, Joseph Wyatt
Winston-Salem

Stewart, Roger Lee
Kernersville

Swaim, Debra
Winston-Salem

Swaim, Kenneth
Winston-Salem

Swaim, Shelia
Winston-Salem

Tally, Susan
Winston-Salem

Wilson, Nathaniel W.
Winston-Salem

GASTON

Boardman, Martha
Gastonia

Bradshaw, Bryan
Gastonia

Branch, Mike
High Shoals

Brooks, Renee
Gastonia

Buchanan, Barbara
Gastonia

Caldwell, Nena M.
Gastonia

Cobb, Billy
Gastonia

Cook, Randy Lee
Dallas

Foust, Ella Mae
Gastonia

Gillespie, Linda
Gastonia

Gilmore, Tonda
Gastonia

Guy, Keith
Gastonia

Helms, Madonna
Stanley

Kiser, Lu Ann
Gastonia

Ledford, James
Kings Mountain

Morrow, Candy
Gastonia

McGee, Judith D.
Gastonia

McLamb, Susan G.
Gastonia

Owens, Pat
Gastonia

Phillips, Charles
Belmont

Phillips, Mike
Belmont

Rankin, Allen
Belmont

Rea, William E.
Gastonia

Sewell, Nancy
Gastonia

Sprinkle, Vickie
Gastonia

Wilson, James
Gastonia

Wilson, Sherry Dawn
Gastonia

Work, Donna Robin
Gastonia

GRANVILLE

Jones, Robert Sherman
Oxford

GUILFORD

Beeson, Terry
Greensboro

Bundy, Ricky L.
High Point

Burris, Elton Lee
Thomasville

Cantolina, Robin Sue
Greensboro

Chambers, Mickey R.
Greensboro

Chance, Delton L.
High Point

Clewis, Barbara
Greensboro

Denny, Lisa
Greensboro

Dixon, Mary Elizabeth
Greensboro

Forrest, Cathy V.
Greensboro

Foust, Judy
Greensboro

Green, Peggy
High Point

Johnston, Jimmy, Jr.
High Point

Johnson, Judy Ann
Greensboro

Jones, Terry
Greensboro

Maines, Ronnie Lee
Greensboro

Mayhew, Billy
Greensboro

Miller, Donald W.
Greensboro

Misenheimer, Janet
High Point

Melvin, Murray
Greensboro

McAmis, Kathy
Greensboro

Parks, Katherine Siler
Greensboro

Phillips, Judy Sue
High Point

Reynolds, Pamela
Climax

Russ, Philip Reid
Greensboro

Smith, Anita B.
Greensboro

Smith, Priscilla Joyce
High Point

Stone, Rachel E.
Greensboro

Suggs, Lewis Lynn
High Point

Suggs, Michael Clay
High Point

Tatum, Ralphine
Greensboro

Vaughan, Harry Lee
Greensboro

Winslow, Winford, Jr.
Greensboro

HARNETT

Autry, Robert
Dunn

Jackson, Thomas E.
Erwin

McLamb, Donnie
Dunn

Tart, Vicky T.
Dunn

HAYWOOD

Arrington, Boyd
Hazelwood

HENDERSON

Anders, Deidre
Hendersonville

Camp, Wayne Edward
Hendersonville

Cantrell, Carolyn
Hendersonville

Siminski, Steve
Hendersonville

HOKE

English, Ellen Gray
Raeford

IREDELL

Barker, Kenneth
Statesville

Gaither, Patricia
Statesville

Hager, Cathy
Mooreville

Moose, Debbie
Statesville

JACKSON

Cabe, Bethel L.
Sylva

Greene, Connie
Sylva

Greene, Kathy
Sylva

Watson, Johnny
Sylva

JOHNSTON

Ballance, Geraldine
Four Oaks

Dixon, Linda Benson	MARTIN	Garrison, Rusty Charlotte
Jones, David Micro	Sharp, Selina Robersonville	Gordon, William Charlotte
Langdon, Kay Benson	McDOWELL	Grainger, Mark Charlotte
Parrish, Catherine Selma	Agner, Tonda Marion	Hackney, Linda Charlotte
LEE	Cable, Glenda Marion	Ketner, Gilbert L. Charlotte
Hurley, Gerald Sanford	Gardin, Robin Marion	Meek, James W. Charlotte
Page, Bob C. Sanford	Jones, Roger Marion	McCord, Donna Charlotte
LENOIR	MECKLENBURG	Neal, Charles W., Jr. Charlotte
Taylor, Grace Irene Kinston	Allen, Billy Charlotte	Phillips, Jerry Bain Charlotte
LINCOLN	Anderson, Karen Charlotte	Pittman, Johnny Carl Charlotte
Edwards, Denise Lincolnton	Baucom, Mark Charlotte	Ritch, David Randall Charlotte
Leatherman, Elwyn Vale	Blakeley, Marty Charlotte	Rollings, Robin Charlotte
Meeks, Polly Crouse	Brinkley, Suzie Charlotte	Simmons, Faye J. Charlotte
Mosteller, Melessa Iron Station	Brown, Rachel Charlotte	Spivey, Frances Charlotte
Reece, Mary Lincolnton	Cannon, Paul J., Jr. Charlotte	Wilson, John T. Charlotte
Sain, Larry R. Lincolnton	Carter, Cathy Charlotte	MITCHELL
MACON	Childers, Russell R. Charlotte	Autrey, Charles J. Spruce Pine
Wyatt ,Sandra Franklin	Davis, Milton Beck Matthews	Autrey, Jimmy Ray Spruce Pine
MADISON	Davis, Laura J. Charlotte	Hughes, Betty Gail Bakersville
McKinney, Johnny Mars Hill	Eaves, Trudy Charlotte	MONTGOMERY
McKinney, Melissa Mars Hill	Fowler, Mary Ann Charlotte	Ballard, Wayne Mt. Gilead
McKinney, Mike Mars Hill	Garrison, Robin Charlotte	Campbell, Barry Von Biscoe

Smith, Randy
Candor

MOORE

Bruce, Eva Mae
Robbins

Cummings, Emma Mae
Vass

Hearn, Reece
Carthage

Hemric, Kandy
Jackson Springs

Kennedy, Marion
Pinehurst

Kennedy, Ival N.
Pinehurst

Sanders, Linda
Eagle Springs

Sheffield, Dianna
Carthage

NASH

Edwards, Thomas
Nashville

Smith, Becky T.
Battleboro

NEW HANOVER

Branch, Al Ray
Wilmington

Caines, Randy
Wilmington

Farrow, Jo Ann
Wilmington

Mathis, Donna Kay
Wilmington

NORTHAMPTON

Glover, Dickie
Margaretsville

ONSLOW

Gray, Robert W.
Swansboro

Jensen, Stanley Carl
Camp Lejeunne

Kellum, Johnny
Jacksonville

Smith, Jeannie Carol
Jacksonville

ORANGE

Hawkins, Karen
Hurdle Mills

PAMLICO

Ensley, Craig
Grantsboro

PASQUOTANK

Bray, Brenda
Elizabeth City

White, Herbert
Elizabeth City

White, Neia
Elizabeth City

PENDER

Rivenbark, Karen
Burgaw

PERSON

Allen, Frances
Roxboro

Allen, Karl
Roxboro

Moore, Darrell H.
Hurdle Mills

Moore, Tony
Hurdle Mills

PITT

Heath, Donya
Greenville

Hunnings, Gary
Greenville

Jones, Spence
Greenville

RANDOLPH

Cecil, Cathy
Cedar Falls

Dawkins, Charles
Asheboro

Harvell, Elizabeth
Asheboro

Phillips, Kenneth
Asheboro

Williams, Marvin J. Jr.
Asheboro

RICHMOND

Bittle, Donnie
Rockingham

Bittle, Sandra K.
Rockingham

Smith, Willis
Ellerbe

ROBESON

Blue, Larry
Maxton

Bristow, Chas. Lee
Lumber Bridge

Britt, Thos. H.
Lumberton

Chavis, Maxine
Pembroke

Cox, Cathy Sue
Lumberton

Honeycutt, Sherry L.
St. Paul's

Hunt, Diane
Fairmont

Lowery, Val
Lumberton

Morgan, Carolyn
Rowland

McMillan, Wilton, Jr.
Parkton

Oxendine, Barbara
Pembroke

Oxendine, Gene
Pembroke

ROCKINGHAM

Chilton, Gary
Reidsville

Clark, Vincent Lee
Stoneville

Hall, James Robert
Mayodan

Roberston, Keith
Reidsville

Sams, Jimmy
Spray

Swinney, Larry
Spray

ROWAN

Atkinson, Cathy
Salisbury

Cooley, Sylvia Diane
Salisbury

Dixon, Jimmy Ray
China Grove

Freeze, Nelson
Landis

Hartsell, Alesia
Cleveland

Hunter, David
Woodleaf

Isenhour, Louise
China Grove

Johnson, Jerry
Salisbury

Soler, Placidio
Salisbury

Swicegood, Scott
Salisbury

Talbert, Debbie
Spencer

Thomas, Jennifer Lee
Salisbury

SAMPSON

Jackson, Herman Lynn
Roseboro

Rich, Johnny
Garland

Warren, Jerry Davis
Dunn

SCOTLAND

Butler, Julie
Laurel Hill

Robinson, Curtis
Hamlet

Robinson, Margaret
Hamlet

Robinson, Nellie
Hamlet

STANLEY

Ballard, Treva
Norwood

Burleson, Judy Ann
Albemarle

James, Stacey
Albemarle

Little, Diane
Albemarle

Little, Donna
Albemarle

Little, Worth, Jr.
Albemarle

SURRY

Cummings, Imogene
Ararat, N. C.

Fortner, Archie
Mt. Airy

Goodson, Tony
Low Gap

Lawson, Libby Jo
Pilot Mt.

SWAIN

Herron, Barbara
Bryson City

Herron, James Kenneth
Bryson City

Herron, Wayne
Bryson City

TRANSYLVANIA

McCall, Linda Carolyn
Brevard

Nelson, David
Brevard

Owen, Dwight
Brevard

Phillips, Vickie
Brevard

Snipes, Donna P.
Brevard

UNION

Funderburk, Brenda
Monroe

Gordon, David F.
Monroe

Helms, Gene
Monroe

Horne, Chucky
Peachland

Stuckey, Richard Lewis
Monroe

Witmore, Randy
Wingate

VANCE

Blanks, B. Ray
Henderson

Purcell, Helen Mae
Townsville

Purcell, John B. Jr.,
Townsville

WAKE

Choplin, Faye Marie
Wake Forest

Coker, Dale
Raleigh

Collins, James B.
Wake

Davis, Brenda Kate
Raleigh

Donnelly, Thomas
Raleigh

Jockisch, Virgil E.
Apex

Kirk, Brenda
Raleigh

Latkowski, Lester
Raleigh

Midgette, Howard B.
Garner

Scarboro, Ann
Raleigh

Seagroves, Margaret
Raleigh

Snakenburg, Kaye
Raleigh

Spence, Jean
Raleigh

Spence, Ruth
Raleigh

Spivey, Randy
Raleigh

Verhoeven, Cary
Raleigh

Wilkinson, Lillian E.
Raleigh

Williams, Philip David
Raleigh

Yeargan, Frances
Garner

WARREN

Silver, Roberta
Hollister

WASHINGTON

Spencer, Debbie
Plymouth

Williams, Kay
Roper

Winesett, Debra
Plymouth

WATAUGA

Miller, Johnny J.
Triplett

WAYNE

Best, Nora Gertrude
Goldsboro

Bordeaux, Danny
Goldsboro

Merritt, Ronald
Goldsboro

Power, Steven Thomas
Mt. Olive

Power, Diana Ellen
Mt. Olive

Starling, Shirley
Goldsboro

WILKES

Alexander, Dean
N. Wilkesboro

Barnes, John T.
Boomer

Clanton, Hobert Dee
Boomer

Triplett, Jeffrey
N. Wilkesboro

Triplett, Mickie
Traphill,

WILSON

Dilda, Judy
Wilson

Matthews, Pamela
Wilson

Turner, Judy Ann
Lucama

YADKIN

Coleman, Diane
Cycle

Shaffner, Carolyn
Jonesville

Shaffner, Mary Ann
Jonesville

Williams, Tammy
East Bend

Hutchens, Ray
Yadkinville

YANCEY

Robinson, Edward
Burnsville

OUT-OF-STATE

(Children of Military personnel, or those whose guardians are N. C. Tax Payers):

Davis, Betty
Norfolk, Va.

Duncan, Bobby
Hampton, Virginia

Duncan, Gary
Hampton, Virginia

Brizendine, Brian
Silver Spring, Md.

Ethridge, Carol
Dunedin, Florida

Ethridge, Lee
Dunedin, Florida

McDaniel, Lee
Columbia, S. C.

Williamson, Janet
Springfield, Virginia

Williamson, John
Springfield, Virginia

Wilson, Steve
Newport News, Va.

